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Resolve Incorporating

The Connecticut Historical Society.

Passed May, 1825; Renewed May, 1839;
Amended February, 1905, May, 1923, March, 1929, March, 1931.

Resolved by this Assembly, That John Trumbull, Thomas C. Brownell, Timothy Pitkin, John S. Peters, William W. Ellsworth, Thomas Day, Thomas Robins, Daniel Burhans, Thomas Hubbard, Isaac Toucey, Nathaniel S. Wheaton, George Sumner, Roger M. Sherman, William T. Williams, Martin Wells, Joseph Battell, William Cooley, Thomas H. Gallaudet, Thomas S. Williams, Eli Todd, Walter Mitchell, George W. Doane, Samuel B. Woodward, S. H. Huntington, Samuel W. Dana, James Gould, Samuel A. Foote, Nathan Johnson, Hawley Olmsted, Benjamin Trumbull, John Hall, and their associates and successors, be, and hereby are ordained, constituted and declared to be forever hereafter, a body corporate, by the name of *The Connecticut Historical Society,* and by that name, they, their associates and successors shall and may have perpetual succession; shall be capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, and also to purchase, receive, hold and convey any estate, real or personal, to an amount not exceeding four million dollars; and may have a common seal, and the same may alter at pleasure, may establish rules relative to the admission of future members; may ordain, establish, and put in execution such by-laws and regulations, not contrary to the provisions of this charter, or the laws of this State, as shall be deemed necessary for the government of said Corporation.

The Governor of this State, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Judges of the Superior Court, shall be *ex officio* members of the Society.

Said Corporation shall meet once a year for the choice of a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as may be designated from time to time by the by-laws of the Society.

The first meeting of the Society shall be holden at the State House in Hartford at such time as shall be designated by the Honorable John Trumbull, notice thereof being previously given in one or more newspapers printed in Hartford.

Provided, nevertheless, that this act of incorporation shall be subject to be revoked or altered, at the pleasure of the General Assembly.

By-Laws.

ARTICLE I. MEMBERS.

SECTION 1. The Society shall consist of active, corresponding, and honorary members. Only active members shall be entitled to vote in any meeting of the Society.

Corresponding and honorary members shall be persons residing out of the State of Connecticut, and shall not be subject to any admission fee or dues.

Honorary members shall be persons who may have rendered important public service to the State of Connecticut, or to the cause of historic inquiry, or literature generally.

SECTION 2. Every application for active membership shall be in writing, signed by the applicant, shall be supported by the written recommendation of at least one active member residing in the State of Connecticut, and shall be accompanied by the admission fee of three dollars. Such applications must be made upon blank forms furnished by the Society and shall contain a brief personal sketch of the applicant.

Every nomination for the election of corresponding or honorary members shall be based upon the application, in writing, of at least two active members, residing in the State of Connecticut, stating the reason for such nomination, and the qualifications of the persons proposed for membership.

SECTION 3. No person shall be voted for as an active, corresponding, or honorary member until at least the meeting next succeeding the one at which his election is recommended by the Committee on Membership, with the exception that during the period from the regular meeting in May of each year to the first day of the following September, the Standing Committee may, on the recommendation of the Committee on Membership, elect any applicants to membership.

Whenever a vote shall be taken on the admission of a member and there shall be found two ballots against his admission, the presiding officer shall declare the election postponed. At the next regular meeting, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, he may be admitted by the votes of two-thirds of the members present. Whenever there shall be found one ballot in the Standing Committee against an applicant for admission, this application shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Society, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, and the applicant may be admitted by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

SECTION 4. Active members shall pay as annual dues to the Society three dollars if they reside within the City of Hartford, and two dol-

lars if they reside without said city. Any active member, not indebted to the Society for dues, may constitute himself a life member by paying at one time the sum of fifty dollars.

The annual dues of members shall be payable in advance on the first day of May in each year. The payment of the annual dues shall constitute a condition for membership, and the neglect or refusal to pay the same for the period of six months after they become due shall be deemed a withdrawal from the Society.

ARTICLE II. OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of the Society, to be elected at the annual meeting by ballot, and to hold their offices for one year and until others shall be chosen, shall be, a President, not exceeding eight Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, an Auditor, a Committee on Membership to consist of seven members, Committees on the Library, on Publication, on Finance, and on Monthly Papers, each to consist of three members. The Committee on Finance may with the Treasurer select any Trust Company that it may see fit, to assist the Treasurer in the work of his office. Only active members resident in the State of Connecticut shall be eligible to office.

The preceding officers and the chairmen of the several committees shall constitute the Standing Committee of the Society.

The presiding officer shall name the members of all special committees ordered raised at any meeting.

A Librarian and Cabinet Keeper shall be appointed by the Standing Committee, whenever such appointment shall be deemed advisable.

SECTION 2. The President shall be chairman of the Standing Committee, and a member ex officio of the Committees on Membership, the Library, Publication and Finance; shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Standing Committee; and shall deliver or provide for an address at the annual meeting.

The Recording Secretary shall call all meetings of the Society; shall have custody of the files, records, and seal of the Society; shall give notice to new members of their election, and furnish them certificates of membership; and shall keep an accurate journal of the transactions of the Society and of the Standing Committee.

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence in behalf of the Society.

The Treasurer shall be ex officio a member of the Committee on Finance; shall receive the admission fees, and report the names of the persons paying the same to the Recording Secretary; shall receive all other moneys due, and all donations or bequests of money made to the Society; shall pay to the order of the chairman of the Standing Committee such sums as may be required for the ordinary expenses of the Society and such as the Society or Standing Committee may otherwise direct to be paid; shall keep a true and faithful account

of all moneys received and paid by him, and of the property and debts of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting, render an audited statement thereof.

The Librarian, under the direction of the Committee on the Library, shall arrange and have charge of all books, pamphlets, manuscripts, and other articles belonging to or deposited in the rooms of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting of the Society, make a full report of his doings as Librarian during the past year, and of the condition of the Library.

The Auditor shall, prior to the annual meeting, examine the books, accounts and financial statements of the Treasurer, and compare the same with the vouchers and securities in the Treasurer's hands and certify the result of such examination to the Society.

Section 3. The Committee on Membership shall consider all applications for membership, and shall report to the Society such applications as said Committee may approve and recommend for admission. No applications for membership shall be considered or acted upon by said Committee during a meeting of the Society.

The Committee on the Library shall have the general oversight and management of the Library, manuscripts and other collections belonging to or deposited with the Society. Said Committee shall make purchases for the library to such an amount as may be appropriated from time to time for the purpose.

The Committee on Publication shall have the superintendence of all publications ordered by the Society. They shall, from time to time, report to the Society respecting the selection and arrangement of such papers, from the library of the Society or other sources, as are most suitable for publication in volumes of the Society's Collections.

The Committee on Monthly Papers shall provide for a paper to be read at each regular meeting of the Society.

The Standing Committee shall act generally in behalf of the Society, and shall fill all vacancies in any offices until the next regular meeting of the Society. Any five members of this Committee may constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and a notice for a meeting of the Society shall be deemed a notice for a meeting of this Committee. Special meetings of this Committee may be called by the Recording Secretary by direction of the President.

ARTICLE III. MEETINGS.

Section 1. An annual meeting shall be held in the month of May, at such time as the Standing Committee shall appoint.

A regular meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday evening of each month from October to May inclusive, unless otherwise ordered.

Section 2. Special meetings shall be called by direction of the President, or, in his absence, on the application of three active members to the Recording Secretary.

Notice of each meeting of the Society shall be sent by mail to each active member at least two days prior thereto. And at any meeting, duly called and notified, ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IV. DONATIONS AND DEPOSITS.

All donations to and deposits with the Society shall be entered in books kept for that purpose.

No donations shall be exchanged or disposed of unless the Society have a duplicate of the same.

All deposits left with the Society shall be carefully preserved, and may at any time be taken away by the depositor in person, or delivered on his written order. But every deposit which has not been so reclaimed or withdrawn shall, after the decease of the depositor, be entered as a donation, and be deemed the property of the Society; unless, at the time of making the deposit, other conditions shall have been prescribed by the depositor.

ARTICLE V. LIBRARY.

The rooms, with all books, manuscripts, pictures, and articles belonging to or deposited with the Society, shall be under the immediate charge of the Librarian, acting under the direction of the Committee on the Library.

The library shall be open for the inspection of the public, and the examination of books and manuscripts, and transcription therefrom, at such time, and on such conditions, as shall be prescribed by the Committee on the Library; and no book or manuscript shall be taken from the rooms without a special vote of the Society, except by the Committee on Publication.

ARTICLE VI. PUBLICATION FUND.

The legacy left to the Society by its late President, the Hon. Thomas Day, the avails of all life memberships, application fees, and all special donations and subscriptions which may be made thereto, shall constitute a Publication Fund, the income of which shall be applied, under the direction of the Committee on Publication, toward the expense of such publications as may be ordered by the Society.

ARTICLE VII. ALTERATIONS.

Any alteration of these by-laws shall be submitted to a regular meeting held prior to that on which the vote on the same is taken.

President's Address.

During the War of the Revolution, and the years immediately following it, many farsighted persons felt that, to an unusual degree, history was in the making, and that the records of those times should be gathered and preserved for the use of future historians. From this feeling sprang our first Historical Societies. This attitude of mind is not surprising when we recall the fact that our New England Forefathers, with the founding of each new community, elected an official who should keep a record of the sales of land, and the vital records. We also find the transactions of the Probate Courts generally well kept. It was in the blood of those New Englanders. Seven of the present eight oldest Historical Societies in this country were founded in New England. The oldest of these is the Massachusetts Historical Society which was founded in 1791, and was followed in order by the New York Historical Society (1804), American Antiquarian Society (1812), Essex Institute (1821), Rhode Island Historical Society (1822), Maine Historical Society (1822), New Hampshire Historical Society (1823), and the Connecticut Historical Society which was incorporated in May, 1825. It has occurred to me that it might be of interest to the members of this Society that it ranks eighth in age, and that the consciousness of these many years of fine effort and accomplishment might arouse a pardonable pride in the work of our institution. May our future be still more productive.

During the past year the membership has remained practically static. Nineteen new members have been added, nine have died, nine resigned, and three were dropped. Our present membership of five hundred and thirty-nine is made up as follows: five hundred and twelve active members, twenty-two ex-officio, three honorary, and two corresponding.

Extremely inclement weather at the time of a number of our monthly meetings has caused a decided drop in the average

attendance for the past year. I believe that those who have attended the eight meetings have found much of interest in the subjects presented by the speakers on those occasions. Following is a list of the speakers, with their topics:

October 4th. Mrs. James Ellicott Hewes. "The Gay 1790's in Connecticut."

November 1st. Professor Karl P. Harrington of Wesleyan University. "Richard Alsop."

December 6th. E. Stanley Welles. "The Singular Aunt of Ralph Waldo Emerson."

January 3rd. Daniel Howard. "River Navigation above Hartford."

February 7th. Harris E. Starr. "Some Forgotten Patriots."

March 7th. Thompson R. Harlow. "Copper Mining in Connecticut."

April 4th. Rev. Sherrod Soule, D.D. "The Strange Case of one David Austin."

May 2nd. Charles R. Harte. "The Great Chain Obstructions during the Revolution."

Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel of Norfolk, Connecticut, a member of this Society since 1896, died May 5, 1939. In her will, which is dated August 8, 1935, is the following bequest to the Society:

> "5. I give and bequeath . . . . . to the Connecticut Historical Society of Hartford, Connecticut, the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.) . . . . . ."

I am sure that we all share in a feeling of deep gratitude for the kindly and generous thought which prompted this gift.

Among the many gifts which have been made to the Society during the past year, I wish to mention that received from Mr. Staunton Williams of Hartford, who is one of our members. Mr. Williams has presented to the Society a Collection of Humor, comprising a thousand volumes, which was part of the splendid library built up by his father, Dr. G. C. F. Williams, who was one of our former Presidents. This is one of the best, if not the best, collections of works on this subject.

Brief biographical notices of those members who have deceased during the year have been prepared by Professor Arthur Adams, Ph.D., and will appear in the Annual Report of the Society. This, in itself, is a matter of such importance that it

has been thought best to separate it from the report of the President, and give it a place of its own.

After forty-seven years of service, Mr. Bates our Librarian and Secretary, finds that his health demands that his burden be lightened in order that he may have more time for relaxation. The Standing Committee has recognized this reasonable request by appointing Miss Frances A. Hoxie as the second Assistant to the Librarian. The generous offer made by Mr. Bates that his salary be reduced was not accepted by the Committee.

The Washington Street property of the Society has been enclosed with a five foot wire fence on the Washington and Buckingham Streets frontage, and a twenty-five foot section, from Buckingham Street, has been placed on the east line. The use by the public of making a passage way across this land, and the consequent danger of damage suits, made this action necessary.

Forms of bequest have this year been added at the end of the Report of the Treasurer. It is hoped that those who believe in, and have an interest in the work which is being done by the Society will bear in mind the need of further endowment for future usefulness.

EDGAR F. WATERMAN,
President.

Necrology, 1939.

BY PROFESSOR ARTHUR ADAMS, PH.D.

A Correction.

Benjamin Adams of Wethersfield died April 6, 1938. In the Necrology for 1938, the statement was made that he was at one time Chairman of the Park Commission. Mr. Jared Butler Standish, a member of the Society, informs us that though Mr. Adams was a member of the Commission, he was at no time its Chairman.

Mrs. Lucy Mary Pickering Bottomley

Mrs. Lucy Mary Pickering Bottomley, widow of Charles Sidney Bottomley, a member of the Society who died January 6, 1934, died in Hartford March 22, 1939. She was admitted to membership February 4, 1936.

She was born November 25, 1870, in England, a daughter of John Pickering and Eliza Barrett. Her husband was also born in England. Mr. and Mrs. Bottomley were married in Camden, New Jersey. In May, 1897, Mr. Bottomley moved to Rockville, Connecticut, where he became a Designer for the American Mills Company. Later he became Vice President and a Director of the Hocanum Mills Company. Some five years ago, the family moved to Hartford.

Mrs. Bottomley was a member of the Town and County Club and of the Hartford Chapter of the Archaeological Society of America.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. William Skinner, 2nd, and three grandchildren: Peggy Skinner, Sally Skinner, and William Skinner, 3rd, all of Farmington. Funeral services were held Friday, March 24, 1939, in the Skinner Memorial Chapel, Holyoke; the burial was in Grove Hill Cemetery, Rockville.

Mrs. Lucy Morgan Brainerd

Mrs. Lucy Morgan Brainerd, widow of Lyman B. Brainerd, who was admitted to the Society November 12, 1935, died at her home in Hartford February 18, 1939. She was a daughter of the late Leverett and Mary Bulkeley Brainard. Leverett

Brainard was a very prominent citizen of Hartford; he was President of the Hartford Paper Company and of the Case, Lockwood, and Brainard Company. He represented Hartford in the Connecticut legislature in 1884, and was Mayor of Hartford, 1894-1896. Lyman B. Brainerd was President of the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company.

Mrs. Brainerd left a son, Lyman B. Brainerd, Jr., of West Hartford; two daughters, Mrs. Philip Hewes, of Avon, and Mrs. Olcott D. Smith, of West Hartford; two brothers, Morgan B. Brainard, President of the Aetna Life Insurance Company, and Newton C. Brainard, President of the Case, Lockwood, and Brainard Company; two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Kelso Davis, of Hartford, and Mrs. Ralph Cutler, of West Hartford; and six grandchildren. The funeral was held Tuesday, February 21, 1939, and the burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Fannie Briggs Houghton Bulkeley

Mrs. Fannie Briggs Houghton Bulkeley, widow of the late Senator Morgan Gardner Bulkeley, who was admitted to membership in the Society May 1, 1894, died at her home in Hartford, June 22, 1938. The Senator died November 6, 1922.

Mrs. Bulkeley was born July 3, 1860, in Vallejo, California, daughter of James Franklin Houghton, who was born in Waltham, Massachusetts, and whose wife was Caroline Sparhawk, born in West Newton, Massachusetts. Morgan G. Bulkeley and Fannie Briggs Houghton were married February 11, 1885.

Mr. Bulkeley was for many years President of the Aetna Life Insurance Company and President of the United States Bank, of Hartford. He was Mayor of Hartford, 1880-1886, Governor of Connecticut, 1889-1893, and United States Senator, 1905-1911.

Mrs. Bulkeley was active in many charitable and philanthropic groups in Hartford, including the Union for Home Work. She was a member of the Mayor's Advisory Committee for the Old State House. During the World War, she was State Woman Chairman for the Liberty Loan Drive. She was a member of the Colonial Dames, the Ruth Wyllys Chapter of the D.A.R., and of the Hartford Golf Club.

Her son Morgan Gardner Bulkeley, Jr., died March 22, 1926. Both he and her surviving son, Houghton Bulkeley, of Hart-

ford, saw active service overseas during the World War. She left also a daughter, Mrs. John A. Ingersoll, of West Hartford, and ten grandchildren.

Mrs. Bulkeley is buried in the Bulkeley Family lot in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Miss Alice Foster

Miss Alice Foster, who became a member of the Society, November 7, 1927, died at her home in West Hartford, May 2, 1938, at the advanced age of ninety-one years.

She was born March 6, 1848, in Hartford, a daughter of James Phelps Foster, who was born in Manchester, Conn., whose wife was Unice Rose, born in Coventry, Connecticut.

She was a supporter of many artistic and musical organizations in Hartford. She was a charter member of the Garden Club of Hartford and of the Town and County Club.

She left a sister, Miss Emma Phelps Foster. The burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Curtis Manning Geer

Professor Curtis Manning Geer, who was admitted to the Society November 1, 1894, died at his home in West Hartford, August 2, 1938.

He was born in Hadlyme, Connecticut, August 11, 1864, a son of John Avery Geer, born in Groton, Connecticut, whose wife was Lucretia Rogers, born in Salem, Connecticut. He was prepared for college in the Bacon Academy, Colchester, Conn., and was graduated from the Hartford Theological Seminary in 1890. He was ordained to the Congregational ministry in 1890, and was Pastor of the Church in East Windsor, Conn., from 1890 to 1892.

In 1892, he received the John S. Welles Fellowship from the Hartford Seminary and went to Germany for advanced study. In 1894, he received the Ph. D. degree from the University of Leipsic. On his return home, he became Pastor of the Congregational Church in Danvers, Massachusetts, serving from 1895 to 1897. From 1897 to 1901, he was Professor of History and Economics in Bates College.

In 1901, he became Associate Professor of History in the Hartford Theological Seminary, and in 1906, Professor of History, serving till 1922. From 1922 to 1933, he became Emeritus.

He was the author of many contributions to periodicals. His book "The Louisiana Purchase and the Westward Movement", issued in 1904, received high praise. He wrote also a history of the Hartford Theological Seminary, 1834-1934.

He was for nine years a member of the West Hartford School Board, and was a Trustee of the Bacon Academy. He was President of the Connecticut Consumers League from 1930 to 1933.

September 9, 1890, he married Mary L. Gillette, of Colchester, Connecticut, who survives him. A son, David Livingston, predeceased him. He left a daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. Edward Dissell, of West Hartford; a daughter, Alice, Mrs. Lincoln B. Kelsey, of New York City; a son, Dr. Russell M. Geer, of New Orleans; a sister, Mrs. Charles Osborne, of Hartford; and eleven grandchildren.

Rev. Anthon Temple Gesner

The Rev. Anthon Temple Gesner, who was admitted to the Society November 4, 1919, died at his home in New Milford, Connecticut, January 14, 1939.

He was born in Le Roy, New York, July 20, 1865, a son of the Rev. Abraham Herbert Gesner, who was born in Nova Scotia and whose wife was Helen Catlin Dickinson, born in New Jersey. His mother was descended from the Dickinson Family of Wethersfield, and Mr. Gesner was much interested in Connecticut history and in genealogy. He wrote pamphlet genealogies of both the Gesner and Dickinson families. He was a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, and of the Sons of the American Revolution.

He was prepared for college in Holbrook's Military Academy, and after spending a year at St. Stephen's College, was graduated from Trinity College with the B. A. degree in 1890. He was graduated from the Berkeley Divinity School in 1893, and in 1894, received the M. A. degree from Trinity College.

He was ordained Deacon in 1893 by Bishop John Williams, of Connecticut, and Priest in 1894 by Bishop Henry Benjamin Whipple, of Minnesota. He was Rector of St. Luke's Church, Detroit Lakes, Minnesota, 1893-1895; Rector of St. Peter's Church, St. Paul's Church, Grand Forks, North Dakota, 1897-1900; and Rector of St. Luke's Church, Billings, Montana,

1900-1902. From 1902 to 1907, he was Vice-Rector of Shattuck Military School, Faribault, Minnesota. From 1905 to 1910, he was Instructor and Professor of Ethics and Apologetics in the Seabury Divinity School and Chaplain of St. Mary's Hall, Faribault. From 1910 to 1917, he was Professor of Ethics and Evidences of Christianity and Professor in charge of Pastoral Theology in the Berkeley Divinity School, Middletown, Connecticut. From 1917 to 1931, he was Rector of All Soul's Church, Waterbury, Connecticut. From 1931 to 1933, when he resigned because of ill health, he was Rector of Christ Church, Roxbury, Connecticut.

June 4, 1893, in St. James's Church, Chicago, he married Blanche Louise Pinniger, daughter of Dr. William Pinniger, of Louisville, Kentucky, whose wife was Harriet Davis. She survives him. The children were Helen Sargent, born September 21, 1895, who married the Rev. Joseph Noyes Barnett, Trinity, 1913; Dorothy Dickinson Shepardson, born June 11, 1897; the Rev. Conrad Herbert, born August 30, 1901, Trinity, 1923, now Rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, St. Paul, Minnesota; and Harriet Davis, born April 5, 1907.

Mrs. Estelle Loveland Noerr

Mrs. Estelle Loveland Noerr, wife of Robert Collyer Noerr, who was elected to membership in the Society May 26, 1931, died at her home in Hartford, March 31, 1939. She was born June 27, 1878, in Middletown, Connecticut, a daughter of Roderick Loveland, who was born in Wethersfield, and whose wife, Emma Burr, was born in East Berlin, Connecticut.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Collyer Noerr, of Hartford, and by a son Robert Collyer Noerr, Jr., of Ridgefield, New Jersey.

She was a member of the Unitarian Church, of Hartford, the Hearthstone Club, the Hartford Women's Club, and the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The funeral services were held on Sunday April 2, 1939, in Hartford, and the burial was in the Miner Cemetery in Middletown.

Charles Frederick Smith

Charles Frederick Smith, President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Landers, Frary and Clark Company

of New Britain, Connecticut, who was admitted to the Society April 5, 1927, died at his home in New Britain December 4, 1938.

He was born in Wethersfield, Connecticut, March 22, 1861, a son of James Alfred Smith, who was born in Birmingham, England, and whose wife, Emily C. Boardman, was born in Rocky Hill, Connecticut. Mr. Smith married in New Britain, Connecticut, November 14, 1884, Grace Mary Ellis, a daughter of Edwin Ellis and Minerva Tuller, who died only a few months before him. There were no children.

After graduating from the New Britain High School, Mr. Smith entered the service of the North and Judd Manufacturing Company, remaining with them only a short time. In 1880, he entered the service of Landers, Frary and Clark Company, devoting his entire active business life to the development of its business. He was elected Treasurer in 1895, and President October 15, 1900. He served in this office till 1918, when he became Chairman of the Board of Directors, serving till his death.

Mr. Smith was one of the most prominent, useful, and respected citizens of New Britain. He was active in the development of the parks of the city, and in welfare work of every kind. He served for a time as President of the New Britain Chamber of Commerce.

He was Vice President of the Savings Bank of New Britain, a Director of the American Hardware Company, and was a member of the New Britain Club, the Hallenbeck Club, and of the Shuttle Meadow Club. He was for a number of years a member of the State Board of Education. He was a Vestryman of St. Mark's Church, New Britain. He was a member of the Free Masons and of the Elks.

In 1926 he received the honorary M. A. degree from Trinity College, and was elected a Trustee in 1929. In his will he remembered the College generously.

Miss Louise Smith

Miss Louise Smith, who was admitted to the Society February 2, 1926, died at her home in Hartford October 10, 1938.

She was a daughter of the late Isaac Damon Smith, born in Northampton, Mass., of Hartford where she was born Novem-

ber 28, 1874. Her mother was Kate L. Hand, who was born in Plainfield, New Jersey. She was a member of the Asylum Hill Congregational Church, the Ruth Wyllys Chapter of the D. A. R. and of the Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America. She was a graduate of the Hartford Public High School. She taught in the Culver Smith School, of which she was a founder, for twenty years, till retirement some ten years ago.

The burial was in Northampton, Mass.

Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel

Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel, who was admitted to the Society March 3, 1896, died at her home in Norfolk, Connecticut, May 5, 1939.

She was born in Norfolk, March 10, 1851, a daughter of Robbins Battell, of Norfolk, whose wife was Ellen R. Mills, of Newark. Robbins Battell was born April 9, 1819. He was a son of Joseph Battell, born July 21, 1774, in Milford, Connecticut, who removed to Norfolk at the age of eighteen. He became the chief business man of Norfolk and amassed a large fortune before his death in 1841. He married Sarah, daughter of the Rev. Ammi R. Robbins, Minister of the Norfolk Church. She was a descendant of Governor William Bradford and of Francis Le Baron. Joseph Battell was descended from Thomas Battell, an early settler of Dedham, Massachusetts.

Mrs. Stoeckel was twice married, first, to Frederick P. Terry, and secondly, May 6, 1895, to Carl Stoeckel, son of Gustave J. Stoeckel. Her first husband died within a few years, leaving a son, Frederick P. Terry, who died before he attained his majority. Her second husband, Carl Stoeckel, died November 1, 1925. Robbins B. Stoeckel, of Norfolk, former State Motor Vehicles Commissioner and Associate Professor of Highway Transportation in Yale University, is a brother of Carl Stoeckel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stoeckel are known to lovers of music throughout the country for their patronage of the Norfolk Musical Festival. They built on their estate the "Shed", an altogether inadequate name for the great auditorium, for the Festivals and for choral singing, in which they were especially

interested. Each year at least one great outstanding composer was commissioned to write something for the Norfolk Festival. Parker, Sibelius, Grainger, Coleridge-Taylor, and many others produced new works for these occasions. These contributions to musical literature alone deserve the gratitude of the whole world of music.

Mrs. Stoeckel was responsible for the organization of the first singing society in Norfolk and directed it herself during its first season. Out of this grew the Litchfield County Choral Union, long directed by the late Richmond P. Paine. The Union included Clubs from five Litchfield County Towns. The members all studied together some selected work, and after rehearsals, joined in a united performance in the Shed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoeckel were active also in the organization of the Litchfield County University Club, which Mrs. Stoeckel supported and endowed. It does a valuable work in granting scholarships in colleges and universities to deserving Litchfield County high school students.

In 1929, she gave the State the land for the Haystack State Park. She provided for the building of a tower on the mountain and for the building of a road to it.

She bought the Eldredge homestead property in Litchfield and built Battell House on it to serve as a community center.

In a word, Mrs. Stoeckel was active in every effort for the good of the Community and the State of Connecticut. The far-reaching benefits of her wise generosity cannot be overestimated.

In her will, she provided that her cultural undertakings should be carried on in perpetuity.

She left a trust fund of at least a million to trustees for musical education, for the study of Art and Literature at Yale University, and for the maintenance of her estate at Norfolk as a musical and art center. She gave authorization for the maintenance of the famous "Shed" and when necessary for building a new one. The trustees are authorized to hold Musical Festivals at Norfolk and to support a chorus of residents of Litchfield County. The trustees are to maintain the family mansion at Litchfield, known as Whitehouse, with the valuable art and musical collections, and with its more than two hundred acres of surrounding land.

In her will, Mrs. Stoeckel left a bequest of $60,000 to the Litchfield University Club, in addition to earlier generous gifts, and left $10,000 to the New England Conservatory of Music. She likewise showed her appreciation of the work of the Connecticut Historical Society and her solicitude for its future by a legacy of $10,000.

Miss Clara Louise Weed

Miss Clara Louise Weed, who was elected a member of the Society May 6, 1930, died at her home in New Haven, October 11, 1938. She was born January 6, 1872, in Bethel, Connecticut, a daughter of Henry R. Weed, born in Danbury, Connecticut, and of his wife Charlotte Botsford, born in Newtown, Connecticut.

Samuel Porter Willard

Samuel Porter Willard, who became a member of the Society, May 2, 1905, died at his home in Colchester, Connecticut, October 10, 1938, at the age of eighty-two.

He was born in Windham, Connecticut, a son of the Rev. Samuel G. Willard, Pastor of the Colchester Congregational Church, from 1868 to 1888. He was graduated from Yale University with the degree of B. A. in 1879.

He entered the service of the Connecticut State Board of Education in 1887, and remained in active service till 1928, when he was retired. He was "Attendance Officer" the greater part of the time. About 1912, he was made Purchasing Agent for the Normal Schools of the State, and in 1920, Director of the Division of Accounts.

He was for many years a member of the Colchester Board of Education, and was a member of the State Legislature in 1889 and in 1929. For forty-five years he acted as Weather Observer in Colchester for the Federal government. He was a Trustee of the Bacon Academy, of which he was a graduate, and of the Cragin Memorial Library.

He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Colchester, of the A. O. U. W., of the Grange, and of the Wooster Lodge of Masons. His wife died a number of years ago; there were no children.

Librarian's Report.

Mr. President and Members of the Society:

In presenting this my forty-seventh annual report, I wish to emphasize as strongly as possible the handicap under which this library is suffering because of lack of adequate space for its treasures. This condition is due to a combination of circumstances and not to the neglect or fault of any person or persons. The resulting situation, however, is most unfortunate. There is not room to shelve the books now in the library. With the exception of an odd niche here and there, the shelves are crowded to capacity. There is not space to properly arrange the books, and frequently it is only by memory that a book can be located. Whenever a new lot of books comes in, it is a problem what books and to where they can be moved to make space for the new arrivals. And do not forget that there are now 530 boxes of our books stored in a warehouse. We are deprived of their use, and they are doubtless deteriorating. Our two rooms for newspapers are filled to overflowing. All of the shelf space was filled long ago. The present day papers when bound, are placed in numerous piles on the floor; some of the piles being almost as high as a person's head—and only too often the volume desired is the one at or near the bottom of the pile. In the basement are not a few boxes of books that have never been opened since their receipt, as there has been no place to shelve them. We however have a general idea of their contents. There are also hundreds of packages containing scattering numbers or short files of newspapers that have not been opened since they were sorted and bundled up more than half a century ago.

What has been said of our books is likewise true of our manuscripts. Our two vaults for manuscripts are filled to capacity. In our stack room are more than 40 three foot shelves crowded with manuscripts, chiefly small genealogies

or historical records filed in envelopes. There are also in the stack room 475 boxes, each four inches deep, filled chiefly with letters and other documents laid open and flat in them. About three-fourths of these boxes are on the shelves, the remainder piled on the floor where others must soon follow them.

Interesting paintings are crowded on the walls, or huddled in corners because of lack of room to hang them. Valuable antique silver, which would make an interesting exhibit, is hidden away, as there is neither space nor proper cases for its display.

If the Society is to live and fulfill the objects for which it was organized and for which it has existed during more than a century, it must continue to grow. But how can it grow under present conditions and how and when can these conditions be changed for the better? As yet these questions remain unanswered.

Our Annual Report, a pamphlet of seventy-seven pages, was issued as usual in June. There are calls for these Reports from sundry libraries which apparently find their contents useful for reference. The four numbers of our Bulletin, each consisting of eight pages, and the separate index number, issued during the year, appear to be received with favor by our members and exchanges, if one may judge from the remarks made concerning them. Our only other publication during the year was the "Narrative of Titus King of Northampton, Mass., a prisoner of the Indians in Canada, 1755-1758." This pamphlet of twenty-one pages gives a vivid description of the hardships and trials to which Mr. King was subjected during his journey to Canada and his life as a captive.

Gifts to the library, exclusive of manuscripts, total 1295 volumes, 606 pamphlets and 186 miscellaneous items. By exchange 36 volumes were acquired. The purchases comprise 207 volumes, 127 pamphlets and five miscellaneous items. There were also purchased 175 numbers of early Connecticut newspapers and a considerable number of early colonial bills together with a few photostats of Connecticut bills the originals of which we cannot hope to procure. Aside from these special items the accessions number 1538 volumes, 733 pamphlets and 191 miscellaneous; making a total of 2462 items. Among the purchases seven volumes are credited to the Barbour Fund,

one volume to the Boardman Fund, five volumes to the Brainard Fund, 10 volumes and the Colonial bills to the Hoadley Fund, 24 volumes to the Mather Fund, one volume to the Morris Fund and the Allen family letters and War of 1812 papers to the Permanent General Fund.

The number of readers using the library during the year was 3460. This is an increase of 137 over the number for the previous year.

Among accessions having special Connecticut interest may be mentioned, "Crossing and recrossing the Connecticut river", "Early American Land companies", a number of which originated in Connecticut, "100th anniversary of Christ Church in Guilford", "History of Grace Episcopal Church in Hartford", "History of Trinity Church in Portland", "American Genealogist", many pamphlets relating to Trinity College in Hartford, "Greenwich old and new", biographies of Elihu Burritt and of John Fitch, "Confiscation of John Chandler's estate", "Connecticut canals", "Records of the Congregational church in Franklin", "They found a way", Hamden Historical Society publications, Fairfield Historical Society publications, "Henry Whitfield house", reprint of Hartford directory for 1828, several volumes of Mark Twain's writings, "Connecticut a guide to its roads, lore, and people", sketch of Joseph Bellamy, "Papers in honor of Andrew Keogh", "Connecticut wits", by Parrington, "Canaan Parish", being the history of the Congregational Church in New Canaan.

Other items of interest include the final section of the "Genealogical Dictionary of Maine and New Hampshire", "Art of Ancestor hunting", "New England Hurricanes", "Historic storms of New England", Bernard Romans' East and West Florida, Life of John Paul Jones, Life of Captain Kidd, "Early settlers of Rowley, Mass.", Publications of the States Historical Society, volumes 18 and 19, Life of Anthony Haswell, "Edwin Davis French, A memorial", the magazine "Antiques", the magazine "Americana", "Anglo-American china catalogue", "The hooked rug", "Old gravestones of Ulster County, N. Y.", Guide books to Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, "Falaise Roll", which contains records of prominent companions of William the Conqueror.

Our exchanges with other societies, by which many valuable publications are received, have continued as usual. Our continuing thanks are due to the publishers of The Courant and The Times for favoring us with their newspapers, which are bound every second month and are very frequently used.

Items dated 1774, 1779, 1783, 1794, 1799 and 1800 have been added to our outstanding collection of early Connecticut imprints.

The most important gift of the year is that received from Staunton Williams of the collection of books of humor gathered by his father, the late Dr. George C. F. Williams, sometime president of this Society. This collection, said to be the most extensive collection of humor in any library in this country, consists of more than one thousand books and pamphlets, chiefly of American humor. All of your funny, joking and humorous old friends, and doubtless some with whom you are not yet acquainted, are to be found in this collection—Josh Billings, Mark Twain, Brick Pomeroy, Bill Nye, Marshall P. Wilder, Sam Slick, James K. Paulding, Jonathan Slick, John Phœnix, Josiah Allen's Wife, David Crockett, Bret Harte, Jack Downing, Benjamin P. Shillaber, Orpheus C. Kerr, George Augustus Sala, Petroleum V. Nasby, James Whitcomb Riley, David Rattlehead, Timothy Bunker, Invisible Green, Paul Potiphar, O. Henry, M. Quad, Bill Arp, Widow Bedott, H. A. Burton, Solomon Secondthought, Eli Perkins, Ik. Marvel, Private Miles O'Reilly, Timothy Testy, Quiz, Pindar Puff, Mr. Dooley, and a host of others whose writings bring laughs even though many of the authors are unknown. Small joke books and comic songsters abound. There are also a number of collected series varying from four to a dozen volumes each. The earliest book in the collection is Reverend Benjamin Colman's Sermons on "The Government & Improvement of Mirth", Boston, 1707; while "The American Jest Book", printed at Harrisburgh for Mathew Carey in 1796, is the earliest strictly humorous book of American origin and one of the earliest published in this country.

During the year we acquired by exchange the following thirty-five bound volumes of newspapers:

The Albion, Jan. 8, 1848 to Dec. 24, 1853.
American Statesman, Feb. 5, 1824 to Jan. 22, 1825.

Boston Gazette, Aug. 1, 1805 to Aug. 25, 1806.
Boston Independent Chronicle, Jan. 10, 1803 to Dec. 28, 1821.
Boston Spectator, Jan. 1, 1814 to Feb. 25, 1815.
New England Palladium, Jan. 6-Dec. 23, 1804; Jan. 1-Dec. 30, 1808.
Woman's Journal, Jan. 7, 1871 to Dec. 27, 1877.
The Yankee, Jan. 21, 1814 to Dec. 19, 1817.

By purchase we acquired a nearly complete file of the Connecticut Valley Advertiser from its first volume, issued in 1869, to the time its publication ceased in 1929. Additional purchases include 33 numbers of the Connecticut Gazette of New London of 1785 and 1786; also 106 numbers of the Norwich Packet ranging from 1776 to 1801, which form a large addition to the numbers previously in the library. Contributions totaling seventy dollars towards the purchase of these were made by Charles G. Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Clark, Newton C. Brainard and your librarian. A few scattering numbers of other Connecticut newspapers were also purchased.

Current issues and a few other issues of United States coins were purchased from income of the Hungerford Fund. Every year of the regular issues of the copper and nickel coins is now represented in our collection, and of the silver coins, only one year of the half dimes, two years of the quarters, two years of the halves and nine years of the dollars are lacking. Most of these we can never hope to obtain. Numerous varieties and mint issues are also lacking.

In 1904 a volume entitled "List of books printed in Connecticut 1709-1800" was printed from data gathered by the late J. Hammond Trumbull, LL.D., sometime president of this Society. This volume listed more than seventeen hundred titles. Following the publication of that volume, your librarian collected additional titles that had escaped Dr. Trumbull's notice until more than one thousand had been listed. These additional titles have recently been published as a "Supplementary List" to Dr. Trumbull's work. The two books have been found very useful for reference in the larger libraries and by a number of individual collectors.

An interesting broadside containing Resolutions adopted by the General Assembly at a special session held February 23,

1809, has recently been secured. In it the Assembly, reciting that Congress had recently passed an Act to make more effectual an act laying an embargo on all ships in the ports of the United States, resolved "after solemn deliberation" as follows:—That the acts are "unprecedented" and contrary to "undeniable rights" and "constitutional privileges", and "dangerous to common liberties" and are "unconstitutional"; that it is their duty "vigorously to maintain the powers not delegated to the United States"; that they decline to give "the aid of military power" and that officials of the state are "restrained . . . from affording any official aid or co-operation" in the execution of the act. These resolutions were directed to be published in general orders and copies were also to be sent to the sheriffs and town clerks of the state, to the President of the United States and to the officials of Massachusetts, which state appears to have already taken action against the embargo act.

Our president, Mr. Waterman, has made valuable gifts to the library during the year. These include numerous publications of or relating to Trinity College, Hartford, general catalogues of a number of other colleges and miscellaneous books that are of interest.

When she left the library a year ago, Miss Kidder, now Mrs. Greenaway, gave to the Society an interesting collection of more than thirty volumes of modern poetry which she had gathered.

In part because of the numerous missionaries who went there from Connecticut at an early date, whatever relates to the early history of the Sandwich Islands is of interest to us. In this connection we have been very fortunate during the past year. Our member, Alfred N. Tripp of North Haven, has presented us with twenty-nine letters of much historical interest written from Hawaii by Rev. Titus Coan during the years 1842 to 1867. Mr. Coan, a native of Killingworth, was for many years a devoted missionary in the islands and is credited with baptising fifteen hundred of the natives at one time, using a whitewash brush for the purpose of sprinkling them. We also possess Titus Coan's Bible, printed in the Hawaiian language, which was presented to the Society a few years ago by Everett E. Lord of Killingworth.

Mrs. Leila Ely Williams of Hartford has given us the inter-

esting journal of her grandmother Mrs. Louisa (Everest) Ely who with her husband, Rev. James Ely of Lyme, were among the second corps of missionaries to the islands, sailing from New Haven on the ship "Thames" in 1822. The journal was written on the voyage and continued for a short time after their arrival. Accompanying the journal are three letters written by Mrs. Ely, both during and after the voyage.

We have added the following family genealogies to our collection during the past year: Betts, Bissell, Bosworth, Botsford-Marble Ancestry, Cory, Dexter, Dodge, Dudley, Folsom, Gregory, Harris, Huse, Irwin, Isham, Lloyd, McGuire, Manley, Montgomery Ancestry, Moore Ancestry, Neal, Nesbit, Newkirk, Pell, Scarritt, Seymour, Skilton, Smith, Thayer (notes and corrections), Thrall and Rose, Wagner, Weld, Williams, Woolworth (2).

A recent interesting accession picked up at a local bookstore is a previously unknown sermon, unfortunately imperfect, by Rev. Benjamin Wadsworth of Boston entitled "Acquaintance with God, Yields Peace with him," printed at Boston and sold by Daniel Henchman in 1717, pp. 31, (1).

Two unusual opportunities have enabled us to add more than fifty new issues to our fine collection of colonial bills. A list of the bills in our collection, is now being printed in the Bulletin.

Our member Crompton T. Johnson has presented us with a slightly imperfect copy of the second edition, 1776, of "A Concise Natural History of East and West Florida", by Bernard Romans, sometime a resident of Rocky Hill. About two years ago we received the gift of the rare second volume of Romans' "History of the Netherlands".

The manuscripts acquired during the year are as follows:

Mrs. William P. Allen, Winsted.
Burr family genealogy.

American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass.
Address of the late General George Washington.

Mrs. Edward B. Bennett, Hartford.
Reminiscences of old Hartford, given at Friday Club, November 3, 1933.

Mrs. Almira A. Bissell, New Haven.
Clark family genealogy.

Morgan B. Brainard, Hartford.
List of divorces granted in Connecticut down to April, 1778, compiled by Rev. Benjamin Trumbull; also a list of books loaned from his library, 1793-1802.

Newton C. Brainard, Hartford.
Records of the Home Circle Association of Hartford, organized Oct. 16, 1872; now the Hartford Club.

Inez M. Elder, West Hartford.
Descendants of Zadoc Ingell of Chester, Mass.

Newman Hungerford Estate.
The Cooke American lineage.
Miscellaneous notebook and material on Hungerford family.
Two notebooks of Hungerford genealogy.

A. Elizabeth Ingraham, Hartford.
Miscellaneous documents brought from the South at the time of the Civil War. (4)

Henry Johnson, Springfield, Mass.
Letters to Mrs. Dwight C. Kilbourn of Litchfield.
Rutland, Mass., Inscriptions.

Matt B. Jones, Newton Centre, Mass.
Confession of selling tea illegally, June 7, 1776.
Two manuscript sermons by John Eells of Glastonbury, Conn.

Mrs. Ella M. Lewis, Springfield, Mass.
Blandford, Mass. church records.

F. B. Merrills, Hartford.
Genealogical record of the Merrills family of Saybrook, Killingworth, New Haven and Hartford.

Robert C. Northam, Hartford.
Parole signed by Arnold Gavit, a prisoner of war, Aug. 29, 1812.

Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence, R. I.
Bill of exchange from England to William Gibbens of Hartford, July 20, 1637.

Anna D. Sheffield, Old Saybrook.
Dudley genealogy.

Mrs. Harry A. Stebbins, Creston, Ohio.
Cook family notes.

Alfred N. Tripp, North Haven.
Letters of Titus Coan, Missionary to the Sandwich Islands, to Mrs. Margary Lord, 1842-1867. (29)

Jane Tuttle, Hartford.
Diary, 1865.

Wadsworth Atheneum, Hartford.
Five miscellaneous sermons.

Watkinson Library, Hartford.
Stanley genealogy.
Miscellaneous notes on Tolland, Conn.

C. Alfred Weatherby, Cambridge, Mass.

Farrington letters, 1784-1792. (29)

Records of the Piscatorious Club of Hartford, 1858-1876. (2 books)

Account book kept in Ashford, Conn., 1813-1817.

E. Stanley Welles, Newington.

Names copied from account book of Wickham Latimer of Wethersfield, 1750-1829.

Names in diary of Bethuel M. Reed, Co. B., 7th Regt. Conn. Vols. of Somers.

William E. Westbrook, Fort Davis, Canal Zone.

Westbrook genealogy.

Heywood H. Whaples, Farmington.

Whaples and Ward invoice book, Oct. 10, 1838.

Mrs. Leila Ely Williams, Hartford.

Journal of Mrs. Louis A. (Everest) Ely of New Haven written on the voyage and after landing at Hawaii as a missionary in 1822.

Three letters written by Mrs. Louis Everest Ely, 1823-1825.

Albion B. Wilson, Hartford.

Connecticut Civil War leaflets and manuscripts. (44)

A. A. Wright, Ithaca, N. Y.

Allen family of Sandwich, Dartmouth and Fairhaven, Mass.

Fowler family papers, 1830-1870.

Purchases.

Account book, 1834-1892.

Correspondence of Rollin D. H. Allen, 1839-1849.

A genealogical record of the descendants of John Howland.

Hawes family record.

Miscellaneous notebook of receipts.

Miscellaneous papers of Litchfield Agricultural Society.

Resolutions of Hartford Bird Study Club upon Dr. William Wood.

Soldiers bounty "Land Warrant".

War of 1812 rolls (43) lists of men detached from militia for service. (84)

Militia rolls of War of 1812. (292)

War of 1812, Inspection returns large (58) and small (231), miscellaneous documents. (20)

Military district orders 1814 (2 books): militia orders 1803-1813. (2 books)

Weather record of Dwight C. Kilbourn of Litchfield.

Autograph album of Caroline Canfield.

Bible records of the families of Andrews, Ash, Billings, Blake, Bowman, Burnham, Burt, Cary, Churchill, Collins, Colton, Cutler, Dix, Doubleday, Durant, Durfey, Edwards (copy), Eldredge, Ellis, Fadden, Finch, Flagg, Fleetwood, Goodrich, Gray (2), Hall, Harris, Hawes, Herrick, Hyde, Jacobs, Keyes, Killam (2), Kingsley, La Place, Lewis (copy), Loomis (2), McBride, Mather, Meigs (2), Miller, Munger, Parsons (2), Prior, Raymond, Remington, Rice, Rockwell, Southworth,

Stearns, Stetson, Stone, Strong, Throop, Tobey, Warner, Warriner, Whaples, Whedden, Whiton, Whittemore, Williams, Workheiser.

A curious document in the handwriting of Rev. Benjamin Trumbull, the historian, given us by Morgan B. Brainard, lists the names of persons to whom divorces were granted in Connecticut from the earliest times down to 1788, together with the date and the reason for the divorce. Only 59 were granted in the first century after the settlement; while in the half century following there were 372. Nearly three-fourths of the total number were granted to wives who had been deserted by their husbands. Dr. Trumbull held very strict views upon the subject of divorce, for in 1788 he issued a pamphlet upon the "unlawfulness of divorce", and the list was probably compiled in connection with the issue of that publication.

The Farrington letters presented by Mr. Weatherby illustrate the spirit of migration, which seems characteristic of Connecticut people in the earlier days. The majority of them were written soon after the Revolution from her home at Port of Spain, island of Trinidad, by Lucy the wife of Joshua Farrington whose parents were Captain Samuel and Martha Williams of Brooklyn, Conn.

There is one pest for which the librarian must keep even a more constant watch than the housewife does for moths, as there is no closed season for this kind of vermin. And that is the book thief, who, like the poor, is ever with us. In this case the unknown is more to be dreaded than the known or suspected, who can be constantly watched. Occasionally one moves from the vicinity or goes to his or her final reward (whatever that may be), and the librarian heaves a sigh of relief; but another soon takes his place. Our library has been very fortunate, for on the whole the losses from theft and mutilation have been negligible and for a number of years past we have had a respite from loss, if not from watching. Yet during the year now closing, we have been subject to our most severe attack, and once more "the female of the species is more deadly than the male", for she succeeded with two books while (perhaps a) he got away with but one.*

* This volume has been found since the Annual Meeting.

Mr. Harlow, who came to the library a year ago, has already demonstrated his value to the Society and shown his interest in the library and its work. Miss Frances A. Hoxie of Manchester, who was recently employed as a second assistant in the library, manifests much interest in her work. The services of Miss Ellis, our faithful part time stenographer, are also well deserving of mention.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT C. BATES,
Librarian.

CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Report of

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, TREASURER

Balance Sheet, April 30, 1939

ASSETS

Real Estate, Schedule "D"	$211,770.00	
Library, " "	350,000.00	
Museum, " "	100,000.00	
Furnishings, " "	2,500.00	
Investments—		
Bonds, " "	61,138.01	
Stocks, " "	330,843.76	
Mortgage Loans, Schedule "D"	31,214.00	
Savings Banks, " "	53,303.54	
Cash, Schedule "D"	13,035.27	
		$1,153,804.58

FUNDS

Principal of Trust Funds, Schedule "B"	$1,146,611.81	
Plus gain to Consolidated Fund	2,459.27	
	$1,149,071.08	
Income of Trust Funds, Schedule "C"	4,697.96	
Surplus Income General Fund, Schedule "A"	35.54	
		$1,153,804.58

Schedule "A"

Statement of Income for General Expenses

Income:		
Annual Dues		$1,024.00
Miscellaneous Income		13.55
Unrestricted Funds		
Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	$2,826.01	
Sophia F. H. Coe Fund	43.31	
General Fund	664.50	
James J. Goodwin Fund	149.28	
E. Stevens Henry Fund	12.28	
James B. Hosmer Fund	206.28	
William W. Knight Fund	330.07	
Edward B. Peck Fund	1,340.80	
Publication Fund (Bulletin)	129.23	
William H. Putnam Fund	8.13	
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	173.85	
James Shepard Fund	24.95	
Edwin Simons Fund	118.66	
Jane T. Smith Fund	41.26	
Mary K. Talcott Fund	251.65	6,320.26
		$7,357.81

Less:		
General Expenses		
Salaries	$4,858.93	
Telephone	38.10	
Postage and Stationery	194.28	
Printing and Binding	307.66	
Library Supplies	56.61	
Repairs	9.66	
Cartage and storage	432.00	
Fees	846.34	
Insurance	234.70	
Incidental expenses	68.30	
Bulletin account	332.50	
Expenses of speaker	2.40	7,381.48
Loss for the year		$23.67

Statement of the General Fund

Surplus Income

1939		1938	
Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$35.54	May 1, Balance of Income	$59.21
		Loss for the year	23.67
	$35.54		$35.54

Schedule "B"

Principal of Trust Funds

Ancient Vital Records	$833.63
Lucius B. Barbour Fund	407.00
William F. J. Boardman Fund	818.18
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	1,977.13
Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	68,500.00
Sophia F. Hall Coe Fund	1,050.00
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	148.50
George Henry Fitts Fund	5,411.98
General Fund	464,811.41
James J. Goodwin Fund	17,500.00
E. Stevens Henry Fund	550.00
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	2,243.19
George E. Hoadley Fund	490,850.15
James B. Hosmer Fund	5,000.00
Newman Hungerford Fund	2,000.00
William W. Knight Fund	8,000.00
Horace Mather Fund	5,000.00
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	93.00
Edward B. Peck Fund	32,500.00
Permanent General Fund	1,014.86
Publication Fund	9,120.95
William H. Putnam Fund	202.07
Thomas Robbins Fund	6,553.53
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	8,000.00
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	222.67
James Shepard Fund	1,207.48
Edwin Simons Fund	5,400.00
Jane T. Smith Fund	1,000.00
Mary K. Talcott Fund	6,100.00
E. Stanley Welles Fund	96.08
	$1,146,611.81

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Schedule "C"

Income of Trust Funds

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund	$29.56
William F. J. Boardman Fund	121.15
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	105.31
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund—Surplus Income	182.36
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	43.14
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	151.85
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—Surplus Income	182.96
Newman Hungerford Fund (overdraft)	*11.68*
Horace E. Mather Fund	455.85
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	6.17
Permanent General Fund	27.23
Publication Fund—Surplus Income	3,076.26
Thomas Robbins Fund	108.35
Thomas Robbins Fund—Surplus Income	175.57
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	43.88
	$4,697.96

Schedule "D"

Inventory of Assets

	Book Value	Market Value
Real Estate	$211,770.00	
Library	$350,000.00	
Museum	100,000.00	
Furnishings	2,500.00	
	$452,500.00	
Bonds:		
$4,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959, Certificate of Deposit (interest irregular)	$1,460.00	$1,400.00
2,000 New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. 6%-1948	720.00	255.00
2,000 Province of Ontario Deb. 4½%-1951	2,165.34	2,240.00
30,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	29,789.07	32,165.63
27,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	27,003.60	28,442.81
	$61,138.01	$64,503.44
Stocks:		
50 shs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00	$5,050.00
190 " Aetna Insurance Co.	8,172.50	8,170.00
820 " Aetna Life Insurance Co.	27,916.00	22,550.00
117 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	14,485.39	17,397.25
50 " Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	4,736.87	2,662.50

10 "	Bank of New York & Trust Co.	$4,644.00	$4,000.00
20 "	Chase National Bank	540.50	590.00
36 parts	Chatham-Phoenix Corporation Certificate of Beneficial Interest	0	0
20 shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00	1,510.00
32 "	Collins Co.	3,535.00	3,520.00
600 "	Connecticut General Life Insurance Co.	20,300.00	15,300.00
50 "	Connecticut Light & Power Co.	2,687.50	2,600.00
156 "	Connecticut Power Co.	6,179.85	7,098.00
310 "	Consolidated Edison Co.	7,273.84	9,222.50
100 "	Consolidated Edison Co. $5 pfd.	8,778.36	10,700.00
22 "	Continental Insurance Co.	668.97	682.00
11 "	Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00	1,650.00
20 "	Guaranty Trust Co.	5,035.00	4,840.00
304 "	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	20,923.54	19,152.00
603 "	Hartford Electric Light Co.	24,201.27	37,687.50
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00	5,076.00
310 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	8,305.00	8,216.00
40 "	Illuminating Shares Co., Class A	2,280.00	2,040.00
24 "	Manufacturers Trust Co.	462.00	864.00
740 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	28,895.51	40,700.00
14 "	Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00	1,176.00
600 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00	43,500.00
25 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	5,000.00	7,000.00
10 "	Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. pfd.	1,136.25	1,670.00
40 "	Southern New England Telephone Co.	5,271.50	5,880.00
63 "	Tampa Electric Co. com.	1,731.91	1,953.00
220 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	82,114.00	99,000.00
22 "	Union Pacific R. R. Co. pfd.	1,848.00	1,649.00
10 "	United States Steel Corp. pfd.	875.00	1,077.50
		$330,843.76	$404,083.25

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 281 Grandview Terrace, Hartford, Conn.)	$8,000.00
Nora J. Fay (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 147-149 Madison St., Hartford, Conn.)	4,380.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28 Price Boulevard, West Hartford, Conn.)	4,850.00
Bridget M. Moloney (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28-30 Hamilton St., Hartford, Conn.)	7,000.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-125 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	1,000.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-1757 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located	3,000.00

at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P34-573 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 328 North Main St., West Hartford, Conn., in the name of E. K. & H. K. French)	$2,000.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P48-1808 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 157-159 Campfield Ave., Hartford, Conn., in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.)	984.00
	$31,214.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Dime Savings Bank	617.93
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Farmington Savings Bank	175.57
Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	6,022.62
Mechanics Savings Bank	2,346.26
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,344.51
Mechanics Savings Bank	182.96
Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75
Mechanics Savings Bank	1,014.86
Society for Savings	256.99
Society for Savings	182.36
Society for Savings	17,950.32
State Savings Bank	3,222.27
State Savings Bank	833.63
State Savings Bank	2,158.69
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09
	$53,303.54

Cash Balances:

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund—Income	$29.56
William F. J. Boardman Fund—Income	121.15
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund—Income	105.31
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund—Income	43.14
Consolidated Fund—Principal	1,381.27
General Fund—Income	35.54
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—Income	151.85
George E. Hoadley Fund—Principal	10,537.65
Newman Hungerford Fund—(Overdraft)	*11.68*
Horace E. Mather Fund—Income	455.85
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund—Income	6.17
Permanent General Fund—Income	27.23
Thomas Robbins Fund—Income	108.35
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund—Income	43.88
	$13,035.27

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS

ANCIENT VITAL RECORDS FUND

This fund was instituted in 1907 and was raised by subscriptions of from $1 to $100. It is to be used in the publishing of the ancient town records of Connecticut, the sale of which it is expected will secure the continuance of the fund.

Principal

Deposit— State Savings Bank . . .	$833.63	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$813.43
			From Income .	20.20
	$833.63			$833.63

Income

To Principal .	$20.20	Interest . . .	$20.20

LUCIUS B. BARBOUR FUND

Established in 1923 by Lucius B. Barbour, a member, who died July 29, 1934, by the gift of copies of Manwaring's "Early Connecticut Probate Records—Hartford District." Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$407.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$407.00
	$407.00		$407.00

Income

Books purchased .	$8.00	1938 May 1, Balance of Income	$20.77
1939 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	29.56	Interest . . .	16.79
	$37.56		$37.56

WILLIAM F. J. BOARDMAN FUND

This fund is derived from the sale of copies of the "Boardman Genealogy," "Wethersfield Inscriptions," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry," given to the Society in 1907 by Mr. William F. J. Boardman, a life member, who died November 23, 1912. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of genealogies and town histories, the preference to be given to such volumes as may pertain to families treated of in the "Boardman Genealogy," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry."

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$818.18	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$818.18
	$818.18		$818.18

Income

	Books Purchased .	$4.00	1938	
1939			May 1, Balance of Income	$91.40
Apr. 30, Balance of Income		121.15	Interest . . .	33.75
		$125.15		$125.15

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND

Established in 1892 by a gift from Miss Lucy A. Brainard, a life member, who died December 28, 1908, and was increased by later gifts from her to a total of $1,000, and which is being further increased through the sale of books presented for the purpose by her and by Morgan B. Brainard, Newton C. Brainard and The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company. The income only is to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$1,977.13	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,945.13
		Sale of Books .	32.00
	$1,977.13		$1,977.13

Income

Books Purchased .	$51.83	1938	
1939		May 1, Interest . . .	$80.25
Apr. 30, Balance of Income	105.31	Balance of Income	76.89
	$157.14		$157.14

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

Society for Savings . .	$182.36	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$177.97
		Interest . . .	4.39
	$182.36		$182.36

SILAS CHAPMAN, JR., FUND

Established November, 1926, by the receipt of a legacy of $63,370.65 from the estate of Silas Chapman, Jr. of Hartford, a former member, who died September 10, 1925. The legacy was without any restriction, and the income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$68,500.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$68,500.00
	$68,500.00		$68,500.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$2,826.01	Interest . . .	$2,826.01

SOPHIA F. HALL COE FUND

Established in April, 1916, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,017.00 from the estate of Mrs. Sophia F. Hall Coe of Meriden, Connecticut, widow of Levi E. Coe, a former member. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$1,050.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,050.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$43.31	Interest . . .	$43.31

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY OF COLONIAL WARS FUND

Established in 1925 by the gift from that Society of a one-half interest in the remaining unsold copies of the "Vital Records of Norwich, 1659-1848," which it had published in two volumes. The income only is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$148.50	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$123.50
		Sale of Books .	25.00
	$148.50		$148.50

Income

1939 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$43.14	1938 May 1, Balance of Income	$38.04
		Interest . . .	5.10
	$43.14		$43.14

CONSOLIDATED FUND

Principal

Bonds:	Book Value		
		1938 May 1, Am't of Fund	$187,696.95
		Transferred from Income:	
$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corp. (Certificate of Deposit) 6-1959 .	$730.00	Fitts Fund . . .	214.43
		Goodwin Fund . .	550.00
2,000 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. 6-1948 . .	720.00	Henry Fund . .	10.00
		Russell Fund . .	150.00
2,000 Province of Ontario 4½%-1951 . .	2,165.34	Shepard Fund . .	23.79
		Simons Fund . .	100.00

15,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	$14,910.94
5,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	5,046.33
	$23,572.61

Stocks:

50 shs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00
100 " Aetna Insurance Co.	4,932.50
140 " Aetna Life Insurance Co.	2,520.00
62 " Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7,855.01
25 " Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., pfd.	2,246.25
10 " Bank of New York & Trust Co.	4,644.00
20 " Chase National Bank	540.50
36 parts Chatham Phoenix Corp. (Certificate of Beneficial Interest)	.00
20 shs. Cleveland & Pittsburg R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00
5 " Collins Co.	475.00
18 " Conn. Light & Power Co.	967.50
125 " Conn. Power Co.	5,205.00
207 " Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.	4,683.37
82 " Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., pfd.	8,056.68
22 " Continental Insurance Co.	668.97
11 " Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00
20 " Guaranty Trust Co.	5,035.00
150 " Hartford Elec. Lt. Co.	9,315.00
50 " Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	1,025.00
40 " Illuminating Co. Class A	2,280.00
24 " Manufacturers Trust Co. com.	462.00
70 " National Fire Insurance Co.	4,375.00
14 " Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00
15 " Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	2,550.00
40 " So. N. E. Tel. Co.	5,271.50
20 " Travelers Insurance Co.	8,614.00
22 " Union Pacific R. R. Co., pfd.	1,848.00
10 " U. S. Steel Corp., pfd.	875.00
	$92,561.28

Welles Fund	$3.77
Admission Fees	75.00
Sale of Books	147.50
Plus:	
Net gain on Securities	2,589.59

Mortgage Loans:		
Catherine E. Connor	$8,000.00	
Nora J. Fay	4,380.00	
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci	4,850.00	
Bridget M. Moloney	7,000.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.	984.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	1,000.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	3,000.00	
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of E. K. and H. K. French	2,000.00	
	$31,214.00	
Deposits:		
Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13	
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40	
Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	6,022.62	
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,344.51	
Society for Savings	17,950.32	
State Savings Bank	2,158.69	
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20	
	$42,831.87	
Uninvested	1,381.27	
	$191,561.03	$191,561.03

GEORGE HENRY FITTS FUND, In Memory of Colonel Thomas Knowlton

Established in 1925 by a legacy of $10,000 from the estate of George Henry Fitts of Willimantic, Connecticut, a former member, who died January 10, 1925, given in memory of his great-grandfather, Colonel Thomas Knowlton, and to be held as a fund, the income only to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

		1938		
Consolidated Investments	$5,411.98	May 1,	Amount of Fund	$5,197.55
			From Income	214.43
	$5,411.98			$5,411.98

Income

To Principal Account	$214.43	Interest	$214.43

GENERAL FUND

The fund was established about 1849. Included in it are a gift of $1,000 received from the Pawtucket Bank in 1849; a gift of $1,000 from the City Bank of Hartford in 1852, and a legacy of $1,000 received in 1860 from the estate of David Watkinson, a former member, who died December 13, 1857.

Principal

Library	$350,000.00	1938	
Museum	100,000.00	May 1, Amount of Fund	$464,811.41
Furnishings	2,500.00		
Investments:			
$1,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½% 1953/49	979.38		
25 shs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	2,490.62		
17 shs. Conn. Light & Power Co.	913.75		
103 shs. Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.	2,590.47		
18 shs. Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. pfd.	721.68		
10 shs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. pfd.	1,136.25		
State Savings Bank	3,222.27		
Society for Savings	256.99		
	$464,811.41		$464,811.41

Income

To General Expenses	$664.50	Dividends	$429.00
		Interest	235.50
	$664.50		$664.50

JAMES J. GOODWIN FUND

Established by a gift of $20,000 made in October, 1915, by Mrs. James J. Goodwin in memory of her husband, a former life member and vice-president, who died June 23, 1915. The income only is to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$17,500.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund	$16,950.00
		From Income	550.00
	$17,500.00		$17,500.00

Income

To General Expenses	$149.28	Interest	$699.28
To Principal Acc't	550.00		
	$699.28		$699.28

E. STEVENS HENRY FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $500 from the estate of the Hon. Edward Stevens Henry of Vernon, Connecticut, a former member and vice-president, who died February 8, 1922. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$550.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$540.00
			From Income	10.00
	$550.00			$550.00

Income

To General Expenses	$12.28	Interest	$22.28
To Principal Acc't	10.00		
	$22.28		$22.28

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND

Established in 1901 by a gift from Mr. George E. Hoadley, a life member at his death, November 21, 1922, of copies of the Records of the Colony of Connecticut, and a later gift of additional copies and of copies of the Records of the State of Connecticut, in memory of his brother, Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D., sometime president of the Society. The proceeds from the sale of these books constitute the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$2,243.19	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$2,221.19
			Books Sold	22.00
	$2,243.19			$2,243.19

Income

	Books Purchased	$75.08	1938 May 1, Balance of Income	$135.29
1939 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	151.85	Interest	91.64
		$226.93		$226.93

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Deposit— Mechanics Savings Bank	$182.96	1938 May 1,	Amount of Income	$227.28
			Interest	5.68
Books Purchased	50.00			
	$232.96			$232.96

GEORGE E. HOADLEY FUND

This fund was established by the will of George Edward Hoadley, of West Hartford, Connecticut, who died Nov. 21, 1922, for the purchase of a site and the erection of a fireproof building for the Society. It was received by distribution of his estate on December 19, 1923. The accruing income is to be added to the principal of the fund. In 1935 the Building Fund was merged with this fund.

Principal

Land		$211,770.00	1938	
Bonds:			May 1, Am't of Fund	$480,310.57
$21,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	$20,977.89	From Income	10,539.58
15,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1954	14,878.13		
		$35,856.02		
Stocks:				
90 shs.	Aetna Insurance Co.	$3,240.00		
680 "	Aetna Life Insurance Co.	25,396.00		
55 "	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6,630.38		
27 "	Collins Co.	3,060.00		
600 "	Conn. General Life Insurance Co.	20,300.00		
15 "	Conn. Light & Power Co., com.	806.25		
31 "	Conn. Power Co.	974.85		
304 "	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	20,923.54		
453 "	Hartford Electric Light Co.	14,886.27		
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00		
260 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	7,280.00		
670 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	24,520.51		
600 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00		
10 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	2,450.00		
63 "	Tampa Electric Co., com.	1,731.91		
200 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	73,500.00		
		$230,429.71		
Deposits:				
	Dime Savings Bank	$617.93		
	Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75		
	Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09		
		$2,256.77		
	Uninvested	$10,537.65		
		$490,850.15		$490,850.15

Income

Fee	$576.85	Dividends	$11,073.90
Real Estate Expenses	730.75	Interest	847.23
Hurricane Expense	65.58		
Amortization of Bonds	8.37		
To Principal	10,539.58		
	$11,921.13		$11,921.13

JAMES B. HOSMER FUND

James B. Hosmer, a member and a former president of the Society, who died Sept. 25, 1878, left an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 to the Society. The income from the fund has been designated to general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$206.28	Interest	$206.28

NEWMAN HUNGERFORD FUND

Established in March, 1928, by a legacy of $2,000 from the estate of Newman Hungerford of Harwinton, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 8, 1927. The income only is to be used for the care and increase of the collection of coins bequeathed to the Society by Mr. Hungerford.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$2,000.00	1938 May 1, Amount of Fund	$2,000.00

Income

Coins Purchased	$106.58	1938	
		May 1, Balance of Income	$12.39
		Interest	82.51
		1939	
		April 30, Overdraft	11.68
	$106.58		$106.58

WILLIAM W. KNIGHT FUND

Established May, 1934, by a bequest of $8,000 from Dr. William Ward Knight of Hartford, a former member, who died December 4, 1923. The will provides that this legacy be used for the "general uses and purposes" of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$8,000.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$8,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$330.07		Interest	$330.07

HORACE E. MATHER FUND

Received December, 1933, as a bequest under the will of Lucy O. Mather of Hartford, the sum of $5,000 which was given to be held as a fund in memory of her father, Horace E. Mather, a former member, who died March 13, 1909, the income to be used for the purchase of genealogies of families settled in America before the year 1700, including English works bearing on such families, printed parish registers of England and church and town records of New England.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

1939 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$455.85	1938 May 1, Balance of Income	$442.22
	Books Purchased	192.65	Interest	206.28
		$648.50		$648.50

JONATHAN FLYNT MORRIS FUND

Established in 1911 through the gift by the daughters of Mr. Jonathan Flynt Morris, a former member and for many years treasurer, who died January 30, 1899, of copies of the "Morris Register", compiled by him. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only of which is available for the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$93.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$75.00
			Sale of Books	18.00
	$93.00			$93.00

Income

1939 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$6.17	1938 May 1, Balance of Income	$12.95
	Books Purchased	10.00	Interest	3.22
		$16.17		$16.17

EDWARD B. PECK FUND

Established May, 1929 by an unrestricted legacy of $25,000 from the estate of Edward B. Peck of Hartford, a former member, who died October 29, 1928. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$32,500.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$32,500.00

Income

To General Expenses	$1,340.80		Interest	$1,340.80

PERMANENT GENERAL FUND

This fund was established by a gift to the Society in 1906 to which additions have since been made. The income only is available for whatever purpose the Society sees fit.

Principal

Deposit— Mechanics Savings Bank	$1,014.86	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,014.86

Income

1939 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$27.23	1938 May 1,	Balance of Income	$91.87
	Manuscripts Purchased	115.00		Sale of Manuscripts	25.00
				Interest	25.36
		$142.23			$142.23

PUBLICATION FUND

This fund was established by a legacy of $1,000 received in 1855 from the estate of Thomas Day, a former member and president, who died March 1, 1855. To this have been added a legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Daniel Goodwin in 1880; receipts from the sale of books presented by several members of the Society; the fees received for life memberships and admission fees, and a number of small special contributions.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$9,120.95	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$9,005.45
			Admission Fees	75.00
			Sale of Books	40.50
	$9,120.95			$9,120.95

Income

Printing . .	$349.25	Sale of Books .	$105.95
To General Fund . (Bulletin Acc't)	129.23	Interest . . .	372.53
	$478.48		$478.48

PUBLICATION FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959 . .	$730.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$2,784.17
Deposit—Mechanics Savings Bank . .	2,346.26		From Income .	292.09
	$3,076.26			$3,076.26

Income

To Surplus Income Principal Account . .	$292.09	Interest . . .	$292.09

WILLIAM H. PUTNAM FUND

Established in October, 1931, through the gift by Mr. William H. Putnam of Hartford, of copies of "The Two Putnams" to be sold for the benefit of the Society. The income only is to be used for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$202.07	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$197.07
			Sale of Books .	5.00
	$202.07			$202.07

Income

To General Expenses . .	$8.13	Interest . . .	$8.13

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND

This "perpetual fund, the avails of which (are) to be applied to the preservation, increase and improvement of the library," inventoried at $4,643.52, was created in 1856 by a residuary clause in the will of Rev. Thomas Robbins, a former member, librarian and corresponding secretary, who died September 13, 1856.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$6,553.53	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$6,553.53

Income

1939			1938		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$108.35	May 1,	Balance of Income	$215.13
	Books Purchased .	377.15		Interest . . .	270.37
		$485.50			$485.50

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

	Deposit—		1938		
	Farmington Savings Bank . .	$175.57	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$250.39
				Interest . . .	6.18
	Books Purchased .	81.00			
		$256.57			$256.57

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $3,000 from the estate of Dr. Gurdon W. Russell of Hartford, a former life member, who died February 3, 1909, and by the further receipt later in the same year of a legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mrs. Mary I. B. Russell, widow of Dr. Russell. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

	Consolidated		1938		
	Investments .	$8,000.00	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$7,850.00
				From Income .	150.00
		$8,000.00			$8,000.00

Income

	To General			Interest . . .	$323.85
	Expenses . .	$173.85			
	To Principal Acc't	150.00			
		$323.85			$323.85

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL BOOK FUND

Established in 1910 by the gift of copies of "Descendants of John Russell" from Mrs. Gurdon W. Russell. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income of which only is available for the purchase of historical and genealogical works for the library.

Principal

	Consolidated		1938		
	Investments .	$222.67	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$222.67

Income

1939			1938		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$43.88	May 1,	Balance of Income	$34.69
				Interest . . .	9.19
		$43.88			$43.88

JAMES SHEPARD FUND

Established in June, 1929, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,727.50 from the estate of James Shepard of New Britain, Connecticut, a former member, who died February 15, 1926. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,207.48	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,180.69
			Sale of Books	3.00
			From Income	23.79
	$1,207.48			$1,207.48

Income

To Principal Acc't	$23.79	Interest	$48.74
To General Expenses	24.95		
	$48.74		$48.74

EDWIN SIMONS FUND

Established December, 1915, by an unrestricted legacy of $5,286.05 from the estate of Edwin Simons of Hartford. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,400.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$5,300.00
			From Income	100.00
	$5,400.00			$5,400.00

Income

To General Expenses	$118.66	Interest	$218.66
To Principal Acc't	100.00		
	$218.66		$218.66

JANE T. SMITH FUND

Established August, 1930, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Mrs. Jane T. Smith of Hartford, a former life member, who died August 22, 1929. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,000.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$41.26	Interest	$41.26

MARY K. TALCOTT FUND

Established in 1920 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mary K. Talcott of Hartford, a former member, who died November 17, 1917. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$6,100.00	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$6,100.00

Income

To General Expenses	$251.65	Interest	$251.65

EDWIN STANLEY WELLES FUND

Established in 1924 through the gift by Mr. Welles of copies of his "Some Notes on Wampum" and the later gift of "Revolutionary War Letters of Captain Roger Welles" and "Beginnings of Fruit Culture in Connecticut." Proceeds from the sale of these publications together with interest on the same are to be allowed to accumulate until they amount to $300, which is established as the principal of the fund. The income of the fund is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$96.08	1938 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$90.31
			Sale of Books	2.00
			From Income	3.77
	$96.08			$96.08

Income

To Principal	$3.77	Interest	$3.77

Hartford, Connecticut, May 1, 1939.

CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL SOCIETY,

By HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, *Treasurer.*

The foregoing account and securities listed therein have been examined by me and found correct.

CHARLES S. BISSELL, *Auditor.*

The Connecticut Historical Society was incorporated in May, 1825.

The Society owns one of the best collections of genealogies in this country, and also an excellent library composed of printed records, histories, and other works of reference. It also owns a large and valuable collection of manuscripts.

Much remains to be done. The most pressing needs are for general endowment the income from which will support a building of our own which will afford adequate housing facilities, and funds to be used for the purchase of books and publication purposes.

FORMS OF BEQUEST

(GENERAL)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars to be used at the discretion of said corporation.

(SPECIFIC)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars, in trust, the income from which to be used for the purposes following, that is to say: (Here specify in detail the purposes.)

Membership Roll.

Name, Residence, and Date of Admission.

Members Ex Officio.

Governor of Connecticut.

Baldwin, Raymond Earl, Stratford, Jan. 3, 1939.

Lieutenant-Governor of Connecticut.

McConaughy, James Lukens, Middletown, Jan. 3, 1939.

Judges of the Supreme Court of Errors.

Maltbie, William M., Hartford, Aug. 1, 1917.*
Hinman, George E., Willimantic, Aug. 23, 1919.
Avery, Christopher L., Groton, Dec. 15, 1920.
Brown, Allyn L., Norwich, Sept. 1, 1921.
Jennings, Newell, Bristol, May 1, 1922.

Judges of the Superior Court.

Ells, Arthur S., Litchfield, June 30, 1923.
Booth, John Richards, Danbury, May 1, 1924.
Dickenson, Edwin C., Hartford, Jan. 27, 1925.
Simpson, Ernest C., New Haven, Feb. 5, 1925.
Baldwin, Alfred C., Derby, Oct. 18, 1925.
Booth, John Rufus, New Haven, June 29, 1927.
Foster, Carl, Bridgeport, Oct. 23, 1927.
McEvoy, Frank P., Waterbury, June 5, 1930.
Inglis, Ernest A., Middletown, Dec. 1, 1930.
O'Sullivan, Patrick B., Derby, May 26, 1931.
Cornell, John A., Bridgeport, Jan. 8, 1932.
Wynne, Kenneth, New Haven, Jan. 16, 1936.
Quinlan, Edward J., Norwalk, Feb. 9, 1936.
Munger, Robert L. Ansonia, July 16, 1937.
Daly, Edward J., Hartford, Sept. 22, 1937.

* Also an active member.

Active Members.

Those in *Italics* are Life Members

Adams, Rev. Arthur, Hartford, April 4, 1909.
Ahern, Katharine Cecelia, Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Alcorn, Howard Wells, Suffield, Dec. 1, 1931.
Alcorn, Hugh M., Suffield, April 4, 1911.
Aldridge, Frank, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1939.
Allen, Mrs. Carrie White, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1902.
Allen, Devere, Wilton, May 19, 1936.
Allen, Mrs. Marie Hollister, Wilton, May 4, 1937.
Allen, Mrs. Minnie A. W., Winsted, June 18, 1936.
Allis, Lucy, Wallingford, May 19, 1936.
Alvord, John Watson, Winter Park, Fla., Dec. 2, 1913.
Alvord, Muriel, West Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Alvord, Samuel Morgan, Bolton, April 7, 1903.
Anderson, George Pomeroy, Boston, Mass., Nov. 14, 1922.
Andrews, Charles McLean, New Haven, Feb. 5, 1935.
Archibald, Rev. Warren S., Hartford, May 22, 1923.
Arms, Frank Thornton, New London, Jan. 4, 1921.
Armstrong, Horatio H., Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Arnold, Norman Kiefer, Hanover, N. H., May 21, 1935.
Ashe, Mrs. Margaret Kelley, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Avery, Irving James, Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Ayres, Harral, Sparta, N. J., Feb. 4, 1936.
Bailey, William Bacon, West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Ball, Thomas Raymond, Old Lyme, March 1, 1927.
Barber, Kenneth Warham, Windsor, March 1, 1927.
Barbour, Mrs. Caroline Kimball Noble, Portland, May 21, 1935.
Barnard, Ford B., Forest Hills, N. Y., May 4, 1937.
Barnes, Arthur Seth, Bristol, May 4, 1937.
Barney, Austin D., Farmington, March 6, 1934.
Barron, Mary Grey, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Barrows, Mrs. Josephine Brown, New Britain, Feb. 4, 1936.
Barrows, Mildred Kimball, New Britain, Feb. 4, 1936.
Bartlett, Mrs. Elizabeth French, Bryantville, Mass., Nov. 2, 1937.
Bartlett, Raymond Griswold, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1926.
Bassette, Buell B., New Britain, April 3, 1928.
Bates, Albert Carlos, Hartford, July 2, 1889.
Bates, Mrs. Alice Morgan Crocker, Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Baxter, Meriwether Lewis, West Hartford, March 1, 1938.
Beach, Charles Edward, West Hartford, March 1, 1904.
Beach, Goodwin Batterson, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.

Beach, Mary Elizabeth, West Hartford, Oct. 1, 1895.
Beach, Mrs. Mary M., West Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Belding, Frederick N., Rockville, Jan. 3, 1922.
Belknap, Leverett, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1892.
Benn, Mrs. Bertha Lee Hempstead, Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Beutel, Mrs. L. Corrie Austin, Los Angeles, Cal., April 5, 1938.
Bidwell, Frederick Steele, Windsor Locks, April 5, 1932.
Biggs, Rev. Charles Lewis, Guilford, March 6, 1934.
Bingham, Hiram, Washington, D. C., Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Mrs. Almira A., New Haven, Nov. 1, 1921.
Bissell, Andrew J., Guilford, Dec. 1, 1936.
Bissell, Charles Spencer, Suffield, Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Richard Mervin, Farmington, Jan. 5, 1909.
Blakely, Rev. Quincy, West Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Bliss, Charles L., Middletown, Dec. 6, 1932.
Bliss, Frederic Spencer, Hartford, Dec. 5, 1905.
Bliss, Harry A., East Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 4, 1930.
Blodgett, William H., Winsted, March 1, 1921.
Boardman, Cedric R., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Boyd, Edward Steele, Woodbury, Feb. 5, 1901.
Boyd, Janice, West Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bradin, John Hendee, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Bradley, Henry Miles, Jr., Derby, April 1, 1930.
Brainard, Homer Worthington, Amherst, Mass., Nov. 13, 1894.
Brainard, Horace B., Thompsonville, Dec. 4, 1934.
Brainard, Morgan Bulkeley, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brainard, Newton Case, West Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brewster, James, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Bridgman, Myron H., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Brigham, Clement H., Granby, Nov. 6, 1923.
Brinley, Katharine, Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, 1934.
Broadhurst, Leon P., Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Brodhead, William H., Hartford, April 4, 1933.
Brooks, John Lee, Windsor, Nov. 2, 1937.
Brooks, John Norton, Torrington, Dec. 7, 1920.
Broughton, Mrs. Bessie Clarke, West Hartford, Feb. 5, 1935.
Browne, Ann Putnam, Washington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Brush, Mrs. Julia E. Clarke, Danbury, Dec. 5, 1922.
Bryant, George Clark, Ansonia, Jan. 4, 1921.
Buck, John Halsey, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1898.
Buckley, William Edward, Manchester Green, Dec. 5, 1933.
Buel, Mrs. Elizabeth Cynthia Barney, Litchfield, Nov. 3, 1931.
Buell, Irwin Alfred, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Bulkeley, Mrs. Virginia Grover, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bulkley, George Edward, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Burnham, Mrs. Elizabeth Holland, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Burpee, Charles W., Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.

Burr, Mrs. Ada Harding, New Britain, May 7, 1935.
Burr, Harris L., West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Burr, Louis St. Clair, South Windsor, Feb. 13, 1934.
Burr, Nelson R., West Hartford, May 21, 1935.
Burr, Mrs. Sarah Amanda Wilcox, Norfolk, May 5, 1914.
Burt, Harold S., Wethersfield, Dec. 3, 1935.
Butler, Mrs. Eva L., Groton, Jan. 5, 1937.
Camp, Frederick Stanley, West Hartford, Feb. 5, 1929.
Camp, John Spencer, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Campbell, Mrs. Ethel A., Meriden, May 2, 1939.
Campbell, Mrs. Oliver Allen, East Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1935.
Case, Howard Tyler, Wellesley, Mass., Dec. 7, 1937.
Case, James Royal, Danbury, March 6, 1923.
Case, Raymond Walter, Hartford, May 5, 1936.
Case, Willis Buell, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Castle, Henry Allen, Plainville, Feb. 6, 1894.
Castle, Mrs. Mary C. Hadsell, Plainville, Nov. 2, 1937.
Caulfield, Ernest, West Hartford, May 24, 1932.
Chapin, Mrs. Lottie M., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chapin, Ralph W., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chase, Mrs. Ada Richards, Norwich, March 6, 1934.
Chase, Irving Hall, Waterbury, Dec. 7, 1920.
Cheney, Howell, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1910.
Cheney, Louis Richmond, Hartford, Nov. 5, 1895.
Child, Alfred Thurston, Jr., St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, Dec. 6, 1932.
Childs, Mrs. Grace Damon Smith, Hartford, Feb. 2, 1926.
Clapp, Clarence B., West Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Clark, Mrs. Julia Gilman, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1921.
Clark, Walter Haven, Hartford, March 7, 1911.
Clarke, Mrs. Alice Granger, Pittsfield, Mass., May 26, 1931.
Cohen, George Harry, Hartford, March 7, 1922.
Cole, Richard H., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Coleman, Roy V., Westport, Jan. 4, 1938.
Collamore, H. Bacon, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Collens, Arthur Morris, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Collins, Martha Knowles, Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Conklin, William P., Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Conning, Mrs. Carolyn D., West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1931.
Cook, Charles C., West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Cooley, Charles Parsons, West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Cooper, Elisha Hilliard, New Britain, Aug. 12, 1936.
Cooper, Ford Hilliard, New Britain, Dec. 4, 1934.
Corbin, Mrs. Fannie Harrison, New Haven, Nov. 4, 1902.
Corson, William R. C., Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Coudray, Robert D., Wethersfield, May 5, 1936.
Cragin, Donald Brett, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Cramer, Kenneth Frank, Wethersfield, Dec. 5, 1933.
Crofut, Mrs. Charlotte Phelps, Simsbury, March 6, 1906.

Crofut, Florence S. Marcy, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Cruikshank, Rosamond, Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Cummings, Alice Twiss, Hartford, May 27, 1924.
Cutler, Ralph D., West Hartford, April 1, 1924.
Danielson, Rosamond, Putnam, March 1, 1927.
Darling, Robert, Simsbury, Dec. 6, 1927.
Davis, John Moore Kelso, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Davis, Samuel Allan, Danbury, March 1, 1938.
Davis, Solon P., Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Day, Arthur Pomeroy, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1919.
Day, Edward Marvin, Hartford, Dec. 1, 1903.
Day, Katharine Seymour, Hartford, March 1, 1927.
Decherd, Constant Kirtland, Middletown, May 26, 1931.
de Forest, Louis Effingham, New York, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1930.
Destemps, Helen J., Hartford, March 1, 1938.
Dickinson, Addie M., Torrington, Feb. 13, 1934.
Dickinson, Walter Frederick, Wheatley, N. Y., May 24, 1932.
Dimon, Earle E., Farmington, Jan. 6, 1920.
Dommerich, Louis W., Greenwich, Nov. 6, 1923.
Dorweiler, Paul, Hartford, April 5, 1932.
Dow, Everett Duane, West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Doyle, Ellen M., Litchfield, June 18, 1936.
Driggs, Alfred Waldo, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Duncan, Winthrop Hillyer, Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 11, 1924.
Dunham, Donald A., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Durrell, Harold Clarke, Kennebunkport, Me., March 7, 1939.
Dutcher, George Matthew, Middletown, Nov. 1, 1904.
Eddy, Bessie M., West Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Eddy, Samuel A., Canaan, Dec. 4, 1906.
Edwards, Mrs. Frances M., Hartford, March 6, 1928.
Edwards, George Holmes, Bridgeport, Nov. 1, 1938.
Edwards, Mary Welles, Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Ellsworth, Henry E., Simsbury, March 1, 1932.
Elmer, Mrs. Ethel Hills, West Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Elston, James Strode, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1921.
Enders, John Ostrom, West Hartford, March 1, 1921.
English, Rev. James Fairfield, West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Ensign, Joseph Ralph, Simsbury, Oct. 1, 1895.
Erving, Henry Wood, West Hartford, Dec. 7, 1920.
Fancher, William H., Danbury, Dec. 1, 1931.
Farrell, John Thomas, New London, March 2, 1937.
Fenn, Mrs. Mildred Q., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ferguson, Eleanor, West Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Field, Edward Bronson, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Field, Mrs. Katharine K., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Fisher, Samuel H., Litchfield, Oct. 4, 1932.
Fiske, Mrs. Carrie Spaulding, Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Forward, John Francis, Hartford, May 28, 1907.

Foster, Emma Phelps, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Francis, Mary, Hartford, May 1, 1923.
Freeman, Harrison Barber, Hartford, May 28, 1907.
French, Thomas Edward, Rocky Hill, Nov. 12, 1935.
Fuller, Alfred C., West Hartford, Feb. 7, 1933.
Fuller, Henry Melville, Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Fyler, Anson Priest, Simsbury, Nov. 1, 1921.
Galpin, Ruth, Berlin, May 28, 1907.
Gay, Florence Thomson, Farmington, April 5, 1921.
Geer, E. Selden, Jr., Hartford, Feb. 2, 1932.
Giddings, Eugene Alden, West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Glazier, Charles Mather, West Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Glazier, Mrs. Mary Skinner Chapin, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Glazier, Robert Cromer, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Goodspeed, Charles E., Boston, Mass., May 24, 1932.
Goodwin, Charles A., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Goodwin, Charles L., Hartford, April 2, 1907.
Goodwin, Edwin M., Avon, Aug. 12, 1936.
Goodwin, Mrs. Frances Whittlesey, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Goodwin, Francis, 2d, Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Goodwin, James Lippincott, Hartford, Jan. 8, 1918.
Goodwin, William B., Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Gorton, Joseph Chapman, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Greenaway, Mrs. Mary Helen Kidder, Fitchburg, Mass., Nov. 3, 1931.
Greenaway, James Emerson, Fitchburg, Mass., May 5, 1936.
Gregory, Mrs. Elinor Kennard, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Groce, George Cuthbert, Jr., New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
Hale, Edith Stiles, Hartford, May 18, 1937.
Hammond, Mrs. Jennie E. Seymour, West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Hampton, Vernon Boyce, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Harlow, Thompson Ritner, Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Harris, Arthur Holcomb, New Britain, April 3, 1934.
Hart, Albert Bushnell, Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 7, 1933.
Hart, George P., New Britain, Nov. 14, 1922.
Harte, Charles Rufus, New Haven, Nov. 7, 1933.
Harwood, Benjamin Eastman, Chester, Nov. 14, 1922.
Hayden, Mrs. Caroline Dayton, Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 3, 1935.
Haynes, Williams, North Stonington, Jan. 7, 1936.
Hazen, Maynard Thompson, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Heartman, Charles F., Hattiesburg, Miss., May 22, 1923.
Hemenway, Charles C., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Hewes, Thomas, Farmington, Oct. 4, 1932.
Hill, Mary Crowell, Norfolk, May 19, 1936.
Hine, Harold Morton, West Hartford, Dec. 5, 1933.
Holcombe, Harold G., Hartford, Nov. 14, 1916.
Holcombe, John Marshall, Jr., Farmington, Nov. 3, 1925.
Holman, Mrs. Mary Lovering, Watertown, Mass., March 1, 1927.
Holt, Fred Park, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.

Hooker, Joseph K., Hartford, May 3, 1932.
Hooker, Roland Mather, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1933.
Hoopes, Penrose Robinson, Germantown, Pa., Oct. 1, 1929.
Hoskins, Mrs. Alice, East Windsor Hill, May 23, 1933.
Howard, James Leland, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Hubbard, G. Evans, Ridgefield, Feb. 2, 1937.
Hubbard, Leverett Marsden, Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Hunt, George L., Boston, Mass., Oct. 4, 1932.
Huntington, Robert Watkinson, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Huntington, Samuel G., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Hurlburt, Mrs. Mabel Spencer, Farmington, May 24, 1932.
Hyde, Alvan Waldo, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Ingalls, Mrs. Emily P., Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ingraham, Dudley Seymour, Bristol, Aug. 12, 1936.
Ingraham, Edward, Bristol, June 18, 1936.
Isham, Norman Morrison, Wickford, R. I., Nov. 13, 1906.
Jackson, Stuart W., Montclair, N. J., March 5, 1935.
Jacobs, Ward S., Hartford, Nov. 5, 1936.
Jacobus, Donald Lines, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jarvis, H. Gildersleeve, West Hartford, March 6, 1923.
Jennings, Annie Burr, Fairfield, Feb. 3, 1925.
Jillson, Myrtle M., Waterbury, March 2, 1937.
Johnson, Crompton T., West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Johnson, Rev. Elmer Ellsworth Schultz, Hereford, Pa., April 5, 1927.
Johnston, Russell Zieball, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Jones, Edward P., Winsted, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jones, Matt Bushnell, Newton Centre, Mass., Dec. 6, 1932.
Jones, Richard Frederick Jr., West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Joslyn, Mrs. Minnie L., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Judd, William Hart, New Britain, March 7, 1922.
Judson, Florence A., Wilson, May 29, 1934.
Judson, Helen Louise, Wilson, May 25, 1915.
Keith, Elmer Davenport, New Haven, Feb. 2, 1937.
Kellogg, Charles Poole, Waterbury, May 3, 1921.
Kellogg, George Aaron, West Hartford, May 1, 1906.
Kent, Lillian L., Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Keogh, Andrew, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Keyes, Anna Mabel, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Kilbourne, Frederick Wilkinson, Meriden, Nov. 12, 1935.
Kimball, Mrs. Mary Chase, Waterbury, April 4, 1922.
King, Flora M., Somersville, Feb. 4, 1936.
Klinger, Clara Maria, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Kuenhold, Charles F., West Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Lacy, Norbert B., Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Laird, John Melvin, West Hartford, Nov. 4, 1913.
Lane, Mrs. Edith M., West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Lane, Mrs. Elizabeth Selden, Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 9, 1926.
Lane, Wolcott G., New York, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1923.

Leach, May Atherton, Philadelphia, Pa., March 7, 1911.
Leary, James C., Winnetka, Ill., Nov. 1, 1938.
Lepper, Mrs. Agnes L., Harwinton, March 7, 1939.
Lewie, Mrs. Bertha Louise McKee, Manchester, Aug. 12, 1936.
Lewis, Mrs. Ella May Swint, Springfield, Mass., Oct. 1, 1929.
Lewis, Martha Stevens, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Lincoln, Allen B., West Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Linehan, Mary deLacy, Hartford, Feb. 5, 1901.
Linnell, Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Granby, March 7, 1939.
Linton, Almira Frink, Norwich, Nov. 2, 1937.
Loomis, Archie Harwood, New York, N. Y., March 7, 1893.
Ludlow, Samuel, Jr., West Hartford, May 23, 1922.
McAlpin, Milo Frederick, New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
McCook, Anson T., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Frances A., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Lucy Eleanor, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1931.
McGuire, Elisha W., Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1923.
McKay, Eppert Rudolf, Newtonville, Mass., Feb. 4, 1936.
MacNary, Alice B., West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Maltbie, William M., Granby, Dec. 6, 1927.
Marshall, Mrs. Ethelwyn K., Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Marvel, Mrs. Abbie W., East Providence, R. I., March 2, 1937.
Martin, John Gilbert, West Hartford, April 7, 1931.
Mathewson, Albert McClellan, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Maxwell, Francis Taylor, Rockville, June 29, 1892.
Maxwell, William, Rockville, Dec. 4, 1894.
Means, Philip Ainsworth, Pomfret, Jan. 4, 1938.
Mecorney, George E., Whitestone, N. Y., Nov. 12, 1935.
Merriman, Louis Porter, West Hartford, April 1, 1930.
Merritt, Joseph, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1936.
Merrow, George Woodbridge, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Middlebrook, Mrs. Margaret Dutting, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Miller, Helena F., Willimantic, Oct. 4, 1932.
Miller, Otto, Cleveland, Ohio, March 5, 1929.
Minor, Mrs. Anne Rogers, Waterford, Nov. 3, 1931.
Mitchell, Asahel W., North Woodbury, May 2, 1905.
Mitchell, Edwin Valentine, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Moore, Ethelbert Allen, New Britain, May 2, 1905.
Morgan, John Hill, Farmington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Munger, Allyn Robins, New Orleans, La., Dec. 4, 1928.
Mylchreest, Mrs. Iva Harris, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
Newell, Robert Brewer, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Newton, Mrs. Lillian B., Storrs, April 3, 1934.
Newton, Mrs. Louise Gager, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1930.
Norton, Mrs. Jane Huntington, Cazenovia, N. Y., May 20, 1930.
Norton, Susan, Washington, D. C., March 6, 1934.
Nutting, Wallace, Framingham, Mass., March 6, 1923.
Nystrom, Andrew Gaylord, Hartford, April 5, 1927.

Ogilby, Rev. Remsen B., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Osborn, Mrs. Beatrice M., Poquonock, Nov. 2, 1937.
Osborn, William Evington, West Hartford, Nov. 3, 1925.
Packard, Ansel Alva, Portland, Nov. 7, 1933.
Page, Bertrand A., West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Page, Geneva Adelle, Waterbury, Dec. 4, 1934.
Parker, John M., Jr., Hartford, April 4, 1905.
Parsons, John C., Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Peck, William Henry, Watch Hill, R. I., Feb. 3, 1931.
Penfield, Raymond Stanley, Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Perry, Mrs. Anna Morris, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Perry, Delbert K., Newington, May 19, 1936.
Persiani, Charles C., Plantsville, Oct. 3, 1905.
Peterson, Arthur Everett, New York, N. Y., March 6, 1928.
Phelps, Charles, Rockville, Nov. 1, 1904.
Phelps, Lewis W., Andover, April 5, 1921.
Phelps, Phelps E., Simsbury, May 19, 1936.
Phelps, William Lyon, New Haven, Nov. 9, 1920.
Pitkin, William Taft, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Plummer, William Henry, Forestville, Feb. 1, 1938.
Pond, E. LeRoy, Newington, Jan. 4, 1921.
Potter, Richard M. G., Hartford, March 4, 1924.
Prahl, Theodore, Wethersfield, Dec. 2, 1930.
Pratt, Waldo S., Hartford, Jan. 8, 1924.
Priest, Mrs. Ellen M. Langford, New Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Putnam, Mrs. Adabelle Canney Lyon, Hartford, Nov. 2, 1937.
Putnam, William Hutchinson, Hartford, April 7, 1914.
Race, Margaret Sarah, Hartford, May 23, 1939.
Rarey, C. Donald, West Hartford, April 5, 1938.
Rarey, Mrs. Helen Huntington Staples, West Hartford, April 5, 1938.
Raymond, Mrs. Hildred Sperry, Farmington, May 3, 1938.
Redfield, Henry Sherman, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Rhodes, James E., West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Robbins, William Alfred, Brooklyn, N. Y., March 7, 1922.
Roberts, Rev. George, West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Roberts, George McKenzie, New York, N. Y., Feb. 2, 1932.
Robinson, Lucius Franklin, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1890.
Rockwell, George Lounsbury, Ridgefield, March 6, 1934.
Rockwell, William Walker, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Rogers, Ernest E., New London, April 6, 1897.
Rogers, Ernest Gorton, New London, April 5, 1921.
Root, Mrs. Irene Howe Mix, Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Rose, Frank H., Glastonbury, April 6, 1937.
Rowley, Alfred Merriman, West Hartford, Dec. 5, 1922.
Rowley, Mrs. Katherine T., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Rudd, Malcolm Day, Lakeville, March 6, 1900.
Rungee, Mrs. Grace Thompson, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Russ, Charles Cooke, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1913.

Russell, William Charles, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Sage, Henry Eno, West Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Sattig, Gustave R., East River, May 28, 1907.
Sawyer, Mrs. Georgina Case, Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 1, 1931.
Schutz, Robert Hutchins, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Scofield, Ethel Lord, New Haven, Feb. 5, 1929.
Scranton, Mrs. Helen D. Love, New Haven, Jan. 6, 1931.
Seaverns, Charles Frederic Taft, Hartford, Dec. 7, 1920.
Secord, Ralph Van Cortland, East Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Seymour, Clarence W., West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Seymour, George Dudley, New Haven, Nov. 12, 1912.
Shaler, Olney Dickinson, Hartford, Aug. 12, 1936.
Shaw, Thomas Bond, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 4, 1930.
Shepard, Charles, 2d, Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1922.
Sheppard, Mrs. Caroleen Beckley, Hollywood, Cal., Nov. 1, 1921.
Sherman, Mrs. Alice Wolcott, Litchfield, Nov. 12, 1935.
Sherman, Clifton L., Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Simpson, Samuel, Tolland, Nov. 1, 1904.
Skeel, Mrs. Emily Ellsworth Ford, New York, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1921.
Slocum, Wellington R., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Smith, Allan K., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Smith, E. Terry, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Smith, Edna Geneva, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1926.
Smith, Mrs. Ella M. Hubbard, Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Smith, Harry Hilliard, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Smith, J. Eugene, Willimantic, April 5, 1938.
Snow, William Gamaliel, Meriden, Dec. 5, 1933.
Soule, Rev. Sherrod, West Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Sparks, Mrs. Emma Louise, West Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
Sparks, Frank Joseph, West Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
Spencer, Burt Kellogg, West Hartford, May 7, 1935.
Spencer, Samuel R., Suffield, Feb. 2, 1932.
Spiess, Mathias, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1921.
Squire, Robert A., Meriden, May 19, 1925.
Squire, William W. T., New Britain, April 4, 1933.
Standish, Jared Butler, Wethersfield, Feb. 5, 1929.
Starr, Elsie Gertrude, Hartford, April 4, 1905.
Starr, Frank Farnsworth, Middletown, Nov. 7, 1882.
Stearns, Ada May, Hartford, May 1, 1928.
Steiner, Walter Ralph, Hartford, March 2, 1909.
Stevens, Chester Hermon, New York, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1928.
Stevenson, George S., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Stillman, Chauncey Devereux, New York, N. Y., April 1, 1930.
Stoeckel, Robbins Battell, Norfolk, March 1, 1921.
Stone, Malcolm N., West Englewood, N. J., April 5, 1938.
Stone, Wilbur Macey, East Orange, N. J., March 6, 1928.
Stow, Mrs. Jennie Cowles, Elkins Park, Pa., March 5, 1929.
Strickland, Charles G., Addison, March 4, 1924.

Strong, Charles Cyprian, Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 7, 1927.
Strong, James Meggat, West Hartford, May 1, 1923.
Sweet, Mrs. Henrietta Elliott, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Sweet, John H. T., Jr., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Swett, Mrs. Anna H. P. Bloomfield, March 5, 1929.
Symonds, Robert Hale, Warehouse Point, May 27, 1919.
Talcott, George S., West Hartford, April 5, 1927.
Taylor, Ada Louise, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Taylor, Charles Lincoln, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1926.
Taylor, Mrs. Florence F., Hartford, March 1, 1927.
Taylor, Harry Knous, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Taylor, Mary Curtin, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Temple, Truman R., Hartford, April 3, 1928.
Terrill, Edna Clark, Manchester, March 2, 1937.
Thayer, Charles Snow, Hartford, May 5, 1925.
Thompson, Arthur Ripley, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1901.
Thompson, Edmund B., Windham, May 3, 1938.
Thomson, Mrs. Gertrude Hills, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Thrall, Charles Holmes, Havana, Cuba, Nov. 9, 1920.
Tilley, Winthrop, Mansfield Center, Nov. 12, 1935.
Tilney, Mrs. Josephine Toy Collins, New York, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1936.
Tomlinson, Carl Perkins, Montreal, Can., Oct. 4, 1932.
Tomlinson, Mrs. Eleanor Parsons, Montclair, N. J., Nov. 12, 1935.
Tomlinson, Wilbur Ferris, Danbury, June 18, 1936.
Toppan, Mrs. Eliza Willcox, Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5, 1933.
Towne, George, Stafford Springs, May 21, 1935.
Tripp, Alfred N., North Haven, Jan. 3, 1939.
Trumbull, Annie Eliot, Hartford, May 2, 1939.
Trumbull, John H., Plainville, May 26, 1931.
Tuller, Mabel Champion, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1902.
Tuller, Marshall J., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Turner, Albert Milford, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Tuttle, Alice Gertrude, Hartford, March 7, 1916.
Tuttle, Jane, Hartford, April 23, 1912.
Tuttle, Ruel Crompton, Greenfield, Mass., Oct. 27, 1908.
Tyler, Rollin Usher, Tylerville, Nov. 4, 1902.
Upson, Mrs. Edith M., Southington, March 6, 1934.
Utley, George Burwell, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 11, 1924.
Vail, Walter E., Litchfield, Dec. 7, 1915.
Voorhees, Rev. J. Spencer, Maplewood, N. J., Oct. 4, 1932.
Wadhams, John M., Goshen, May 3, 1921.
Walcott, Frederic C., Norfolk, Jan. 3, 1929.
Warner, Donald Judson, Salisbury, Jan. 4, 1921.
Warner, James Alfred, West Simsbury, Nov. 11, 1924.
Warren, Mrs. Mildred M. Davenport, New Britain, March 7, 1939.
Washburn, Albert L., Hartford, March 6, 1906.
Waterman, Edgar Francis, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1903.
Waterman, Francis E., Hartford, Feb. 7, 1911.

Waterman, Mrs. Helen G., Hartford, May 29, 1934.
Waugh, Albert Edmund, Storrs, Nov. 1, 1938.
Way, John Latimer, West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Weatherbee, Harriet, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Weeks, Raymond, Manakin, Va., Nov. 5, 1936.
Welles, Edwin Stanley, Newington, Nov. 5, 1895.
Welles, Lemuel Aikin, Ridgefield, April 1, 1913.
Welles, Martin, Hartford, April 4, 1911.
Westbrook, Stillman Foote, Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Wettereau, James O., Manhasset, N. Y., May 23, 1933.
Whaples, Heywood H., Farmington, May 4, 1926.
Wheelock, Lawrence W., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
White, Alain C., Litchfield, Nov. 9, 1920.
White, Elmer Montague, West Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
White George Worthington, West Hartford, April 6, 1937.
Whittelsey, Charles Barney, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Whittemore, Gertrude Buckingham, Naugatuck, March 7, 1922.
Whittles, Lee Jay, Glastonbury, Feb. 2, 1937.
Wickham, Clarence Horace, Manchester, Nov. 4, 1913.
Wilcox, Frank L., Berlin, Nov. 9, 1920.
Wiley, James Allen, Hartford, April 3, 1928.
Willard, Arthur C., Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Willard, Howard Arnold, Wethersfield, April 4, 1939.
Williams, George G., Farmington, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Harry Roberts, Hartford, April 4, 1916.
Williams, Mrs. Jessie Scott Dike, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Staunton, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Willson, Everett C., West Hartford, Jan. 8, 1924.
Wilson, Albion Benjamin, Hartford, March 6, 1917.
Wilson, Mrs. Grace Hall, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Winslow, Fred G., West Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Winter, Alpheus, Bridgeport, May 26, 1931.
Wise, Isidore, Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Wolfe, Mrs. Katharine Slayback, West Hartford, May 3, 1927.
Wood, Herbert Russell, Hartford, May 2, 1911.
Woodward, Charles Guilford, Hartford, May 27, 1903.
Wunder, Emma Elizabeth, Wethersfield, Dec. 1, 1925.
Wurts, John S., Germantown, Pa., Nov. 5, 1936.
Wyckoff, Rev. Charles S., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Zacher, Louis Edmund, West Hartford, May 27, 1924.

Honorary Members.

Hall, Hubert, F.S.A., Litt.Dr., London, Eng., Oct. 2, 1900.
Borgeaud, Charles, Ph.D., LL.D., Geneva, Switzerland, Nov. 5, 1929.
Dawes, Charles Gates, LL.B., Evanston, Ill., Oct. 7, 1930.

Corresponding Members.

Andrews, Charles McLean, Ph.D., L.H.D., New Haven, Jan. 5, 1897.*
Hills, Alfred, M.A., Bocking End, Braintree, Essex, Eng., Oct. 6, 1931.

* Also an active member.

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Adams, Arthur, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	2	—
Allen, Devere, - - - - - - -	Wilton, Conn., - -	—	—	1
American Antiquarian Society, -	Worcester, Mass., -	2	1	—
American Autograph Shop, - -	Merion Station, Pa.,	—	—	1
American Historical Society, - -	Somerville, N. J., -	1	—	—
American Philosophical Society, -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	1	1	—
American Red Cross, - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	2	—	—
American Society of the French Legion of Honor, - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	2	—
Andrews, Evangeline W., - - -	New Haven, Conn., -	—	1	—
Ankenbrand, Frank, Jr., - - -	Vineland, N. J., -	—	1	—
Anti-Defamation League, - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Arkansas History Commission, -	Little Rock, Ark., -	1	—	—
Association of American Railroads,	Washington, D. C., -	1	2	—
Asylum Hill Congregational Church,	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Bailey, Mrs. Dorothy W., - - -	Watertown, Conn., -	—	1	—
Bates, Albert C., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	2	2	—
Beardsley, Rev. William A., - -	New Haven, Conn., -	—	1	—
Beers, Robert C., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Belden, Herbert E., - - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	—	1	—
Belknap, Leverett, - - - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Bentley School, - - - - - -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	1	—
Biggs, Rev. Charles Lewis, - -	Guilford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Board of Health, - - - - - -	Victoria, B. C., -	1	—	—
Boston Auditing Department, - -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
Boston Mailing Company, - - -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
Bosworth Family Association, - -	Oakland, Calif., -	—	1	—
Boudin, Louis B., - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Brainard, Morgan B., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	1	1
Brainard, Newton C., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	2	23	1
Brainerd, Eveline W., - - - - -	Haddam, Conn., -	—	92	1
Brown University, - - - - - -	Providence, R. I., -	—	1	—
Burr, Nelson R., - - - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	—	2	—
Burr, Mrs. Sarah A. W., - - -	Norfolk, Conn., -	1	—	—
Butterfield, Ernest W., - - - -	Concord, N. H., -	—	1	—
Canada Department of Mines, - -	Ottawa, Canada, -	2	13	—
Carroll, Charles, of Carollton Comm., - - - - - - -	Baltimore, Md., -	1	—	—
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Caulfield, Ernest, - - - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Chase, Mrs. Ada R., - - - - -	Norwich, Conn., -	—	2	—
Chicago Recreation Commission, -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
China Information Committee, - -	Hankow, China, -	1	1	—
Chinese League of Nations Union, -	Hankow, China, -	—	2	2
Clarke, Mrs. Mary Bosworth, - -	Oakland, Calif., -	—	1	—
Coddington, John Insley, - - -	Cambridge, Mass., -	—	1	—
Colonial Coverlet Guild of America,	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Columbia University, - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	4	4	—

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Conference of Historical Societies, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Conn. Academy of Arts and Sciences,	New Haven, Conn., -	2	—	—
Conn. Society of Colonial Dames, -	New Haven, Conn., -	—	1	—
Connecticut, State of, - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	4	—	8
Cory, C. H., Jr., - - - - - -	St. Petersburg, Fla.,	7	—	—
Crispin, M. Jackson, - - - - -	Berwick, Pa., - -	1	—	—
Day, Arthur P., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Dept. of Public Records, - - -	Toronto, Canada, -	—	1	—
Detroit, City of, - - - - - -	Detroit, Mich., - -	1	—	—
Detroit Library Commission, - -	Detroit, Mich., - -	—	1	—
Dunning, William B., - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Ewen, C. L'Estrange, - - - - -	London, England, -	—	6	—
Fackenthal, B. F., - - - - - -	Riegelsville, Pa., -	—	1	—
Fairfield Historical Society, - -	Fairfield, Conn., -	—	27	—
Falk, Maurice and Laura, Foundation, - - - - - - - -	Pittsburgh, Pa., -	—	1	—
Farrand, Max, - - - - - - -	San Marino, Calif., -	—	1	—
Federal Council of Churches, - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Field, Edward B., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Finlay, Herbert J., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Fireside discussion group, - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Foreman, Mrs. Grant, - - - -	Oklahoma City, Okla., - - -	1	—	—
Fort Ticonderoga Museum, - -	Ticonderoga, N. Y.,	1	—	—
Foster, Francis A., - - - - - -	Vineyard Haven, Mass., - - -	—	1	—
Friend of the Yale University Library, - - - - - - -	New Haven, Conn., -	1	—	—
Genealogical Soc. of Pennsylvania, -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	4	—	—
General Education Board, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
General Society of the Cincinnati, -	Vineyard Haven, Mass., - - -	—	1	—
Godfrey, Carlos E., - - - - -	Trenton, N. J., - -	—	1	—
Gray, Mrs. Robert W., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Greenaway, Mrs. Mary Helen Kidder, - - - - - - -	Fitchburg, Mass., -	—	1	—
Grosvenor Library, - - - - -	Buffalo, N. Y., - -	1	2	—
Guaranty Trust Company, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Gulf Refining Company, - - -	Pittsburgh, Pa., -	—	1	—
Hampton, Vernon B., - - - - -	Staten Island, N. Y.,	3	—	—
Harris, Mrs. Hattie M., - - - -	Middletown, Conn., -	1	—	—
Harris, Thomas Henry, - - - -	Fredericksburg, Va.,	—	1	—
Harte, Charles Rufus, - - - - -	New Haven, Conn., -	1	1	—
Hartford Hospital, - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Hartford Printing Company, - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Hartford Retreat, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	16	—	—
Hartford Seminary Foundation, -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Harvard University, - - - - -	Cambridge, Mass., -	1	—	—
Hayes Memorial, - - - - - -	Fremont, Ohio, -	—	3	—
Henry E. Huntington Library, -	San Marino, Calif., -	—	1	—
Hist. & Philos. Society of Ohio, -	Cincinnati, Ohio, -	—	1	—
Historical Bureau, - - - - - -	Indianapolis, Ind., -	1	—	—

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Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Louisville, Ky., - -	1	—	—
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	New Haven, Conn., -	1	—	—
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Washington, D. C., -	1	—	—
Historical Society of Pennsylvania,	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	1	—
Historical Society of York County,	York, Pa., - - -	—	4	—
Hoadley, The late George E., - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Horsnell, E., - - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Howard, Daniel, - - - - - -	Windsor, Conn., -	—	1	—
Howard Memorial Library, - -	New Orleans, La., -	—	1	—
Hungerford, Newman, Estate of, -	Torrington, Conn., -	—	9	—
Illinois State Historical Society, -	Springfield, Ill., -	2	—	—
Ingraham, Dr. A. Elizabeth, - -	Hartford, Conn., -	2	—	—
Japan Pacific Association, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Jillson, Myrtle M., - - - - - -	Waterbury, Conn., -	—	—	1
Johnson, Crompton T., - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Johnson, Henry R., - - - - -	Springfield, Mass., -	1	—	—
Jones, Matt B., - - - - - - -	Newton Centre, Mass., - - -	—	—	1
Kidder, Mary Helen, - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	27	5	—
Kilgour, Frederick G., - - - - -	Cambridge, Mass., -	—	1	—
Kopplemann, Herman P., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Laval University, - - - - - -	Quebec, Canada, -	1	—	—
Lewie, Mrs. Thomas J., - - - -	Manchester, Conn., -	—	—	1
Lewis Institute, - - - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Library of Congress, - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	3	2	—
Long Island Historical Society, -	Brooklyn, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Lord, Catharine L. and Mary F., -	Hartford, Conn., -	4	—	—
McAuliffe, Norman S., - - - - -	Rainbow, Conn., -	1	—	—
McMurtrie, Douglas C., - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	2	—
Maryland Historical Society, - -	Baltimore, Md., -	1	—	—
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of, -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	—	13
Massachusetts Historical Society, -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
Matthews, Helen Moore, - - - -	Yonkers, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Michael, Simon, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Michigan Historical Commission, -	Lansing, Mich., -	1	—	—
Middlesex County Historical Soc., -	Middletown, Conn., -	—	2	—
Milk Industry Foundation, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Miller, Otto, - - - - - - - -	Cleveland, Ohio, -	—	—	2
Minnesota Historical Society, - -	Saint Paul, Minn., -	1	—	—
Moore, Edward Small and Paul, -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Museum of the American Indian, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
National Archives, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	3	—
National Assoc. of Manufacturers, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	2	—
National Collegiate Athletic Assoc.,	Middletown, Conn., -	1	1	—
National Emergency Council, - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
National Foreign Trade Council, Inc., - - - - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
National Society of D.A.R., - -	Washington, D. C., -	3	—	—
National Soc. of Dau. of Founders and Patriots, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	1	1	—
New England Historic Gen. Soc., -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
New Eng. Soc. in City of New York,	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—

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New York Historical Society, - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	2	—
New York State Historical Assoc., -	Ticonderoga, N. Y., -	—	1	—
New York University, - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Newberry Library, - - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Newport Historical Society, - -	Newport, R. I., - -	—	1	—
Nolan, J. Bennett,	Reading, Pa., - -	3	—	—
North Carolina Historical Comm., -	Raleigh, N. C., - -	—	1	—
Northwest Territory Celebration Comm., - - - - - - -	Marietta, Ohio, - -	—	2	—
Packard, Ansel A., - - - - -	Portland, Conn., -	—	1	1
Palmer, Mrs. Harriet L., - - -	Branford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Paltsits, Victor Hugo, - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Peninsular News Service, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
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Resolve Incorporating

The Connecticut Historical Society.

Passed May, 1825; Renewed May, 1839;
Amended February, 1905, May, 1923, March, 1929, March, 1931.

Resolved by this Assembly, That John Trumbull, Thomas C. Brownell, Timothy Pitkin, John S. Peters, William W. Ellsworth, Thomas Day, Thomas Robins, Daniel Burhans, Thomas Hubbard, Isaac Toucey, Nathaniel S. Wheaton, George Sumner, Roger M. Sherman, William T. Williams, Martin Wells, Joseph Battell, William Cooley, Thomas H. Gallaudet, Thomas S. Williams, Eli Todd, Walter Mitchell, George W. Doane, Samuel B. Woodward, S. H. Huntington, Samuel W. Dana, James Gould, Samuel A. Foote, Nathan Johnson, Hawley Olmsted, Benjamin Trumbull, John Hall, and their associates and successors, be, and hereby are ordained, constituted and declared to be forever hereafter, a body corporate, by the name of *The Connecticut Historical Society,* and by that name, they, their associates and successors shall and may have perpetual succession; shall be capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, and also to purchase, receive, hold and convey any estate, real or personal, to an amount not exceeding four million dollars; and may have a common seal, and the same may alter at pleasure, may establish rules relative to the admission of future members; may ordain, establish, and put in execution such by-laws and regulations, not contrary to the provisions of this charter, or the laws of this State, as shall be deemed necessary for the government of said Corporation.

The Governor of this State, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Judges of the Superior Court, shall be *ex officio* members of the Society.

Said Corporation shall meet once a year for the choice of a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as may be designated from time to time by the by-laws of the Society.

The first meeting of the Society shall be holden at the State House in Hartford at such time as shall be designated by the Honorable John Trumbull, notice thereof being previously given in one or more newspapers printed in Hartford.

Provided, nevertheless, that this act of incorporation shall be subject to be revoked or altered, at the pleasure of the General Assembly.

By-Laws.

ARTICLE I. MEMBERS.

SECTION 1. The Society shall consist of active, corresponding, and honorary members. Only active members shall be entitled to vote in any meeting of the Society.

Corresponding and honorary members shall be persons residing out of the State of Connecticut, and shall not be subject to any admission fee or dues.

Honorary members shall be persons who may have rendered important public service to the State of Connecticut, or to the cause of historic inquiry, or literature generally.

SECTION 2. Every application for active membership shall be in writing, signed by the applicant, shall be supported by the written recommendation of at least one active member residing in the State of Connecticut, and shall be accompanied by the admission fee of three dollars. Such applications must be made upon blank forms furnished by the Society and shall contain a brief personal sketch of the applicant.

Every nomination for the election of corresponding or honorary members shall be based upon the application, in writing, of at least two active members, residing in the State of Connecticut, stating the reason for such nomination, and the qualifications of the persons proposed for membership.

SECTION 3. No person shall be voted for as an active, corresponding, or honorary member until at least the meeting next succeeding the one at which his election is recommended by the Committee on Membership, with the exception that during the period from the regular meeting in May of each year to the first day of the following September, the Standing Committee may, on the recommendation of the Committee on Membership, elect any applicants to membership.

Whenever a vote shall be taken on the admission of a member and there shall be found two ballots against his admission, the presiding officer shall declare the election postponed. At the next regular meeting, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, he may be admitted by the votes of two-thirds of the members present. Whenever there shall be found one ballot in the Standing Committee against an applicant for admission, this application shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Society, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, and the applicant may be admitted by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

SECTION 4. Active members shall pay as annual dues to the Society three dollars if they reside within the City of Hartford, and two dol-

lars if they reside without said city. Any active member, not indebted to the Society for dues, may constitute himself a life member by paying at one time the sum of fifty dollars.

The annual dues of members shall be payable in advance on the first day of May in each year. The payment of the annual dues shall constitute a condition for membership, and the neglect or refusal to pay the same for the period of six months after they become due shall be deemed a withdrawal from the Society.

ARTICLE II. OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of the Society, to be elected at the annual meeting by ballot, and to hold their offices for one year and until others shall be chosen, shall be, a President, not exceeding eight Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, an Auditor, a Committee on Membership to consist of seven members, Committees on the Library, on Publication, on Finance, and on Monthly Papers, each to consist of three members. The Committee on Finance may with the Treasurer select any Trust Company that it may see fit, to assist the Treasurer in the work of his office. Only active members resident in the State of Connecticut shall be eligible to office.

The preceding officers and the chairmen of the several committees shall constitute the Standing Committee of the Society.

The presiding officer shall name the members of all special committees ordered raised at any meeting.

A Librarian and Cabinet Keeper shall be appointed by the Standing Committee, whenever such appointment shall be deemed advisable.

SECTION 2. The President shall be chairman of the Standing Committee, and a member ex officio of the Committees on Membership, the Library, Publication and Finance; shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Standing Committee; and shall deliver or provide for an address at the annual meeting.

The Recording Secretary shall call all meetings of the Society; shall have custody of the files, records, and seal of the Society; shall give notice to new members of their election, and furnish them certificates of membership; and shall keep an accurate journal of the transactions of the Society and of the Standing Committee.

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence in behalf of the Society.

The Treasurer shall be ex officio a member of the Committee on Finance; shall receive the admission fees, and report the names of the persons paying the same to the Recording Secretary; shall receive all other moneys due, and all donations or bequests of money made to the Society; shall pay to the order of the chairman of the Standing Committee such sums as may be required for the ordinary expenses of the Society and such as the Society or Standing Committee may otherwise direct to be paid; shall keep a true and faithful account

of all moneys received and paid by him, and of the property and debts of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting, render an audited statement thereof.

The Librarian, under the direction of the Committee on the Library, shall arrange and have charge of all books, pamphlets, manuscripts, and other articles belonging to or deposited in the rooms of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting of the Society, make a full report of his doings as Librarian during the past year, and of the condition of the Library.

The Auditor shall, prior to the annual meeting, examine the books, accounts and financial statements of the Treasurer, and compare the same with the vouchers and securities in the Treasurer's hands and certify the result of such examination to the Society.

Section 3. The Committee on Membership shall consider all applications for membership, and shall report to the Society such applications as said Committee may approve and recommend for admission. No applications for membership shall be considered or acted upon by said Committee during a meeting of the Society.

The Committee on the Library shall have the general oversight and management of the Library, manuscripts and other collections belonging to or deposited with the Society. Said Committee shall make purchases for the library to such an amount as may be appropriated from time to time for the purpose.

The Committee on Publication shall have the superintendence of all publications ordered by the Society. They shall, from time to time, report to the Society respecting the selection and arrangement of such papers, from the library of the Society or other sources, as are most suitable for publication in volumes of the Society's Collections.

The Committee on Monthly Papers shall provide for a paper to be read at each regular meeting of the Society.

The Standing Committee shall act generally in behalf of the Society, and shall fill all vacancies in any offices until the next regular meeting of the Society. Any five members of this Committee may constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and a notice for a meeting of the Society shall be deemed a notice for a meeting of this Committee. Special meetings of this Committee may be called by the Recording Secretary by direction of the President.

ARTICLE III. MEETINGS.

Section 1. An annual meeting shall be held in the month of May, at such time as the Standing Committee shall appoint.

A regular meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday evening of each month from October to May inclusive, unless otherwise ordered.

Section 2. Special meetings shall be called by direction of the President, or, in his absence, on the application of three active members to the Recording Secretary.

Notice of each meeting of the Society shall be sent by mail to each active member at least two days prior thereto. And at any meeting, duly called and notified, ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IV. DONATIONS AND DEPOSITS.

All donations to and deposits with the Society shall be entered in books kept for that purpose.

No donations shall be exchanged or disposed of unless the Society have a duplicate of the same.

All deposits left with the Society shall be carefully preserved, and may at any time be taken away by the depositor in person, or delivered on his written order. But every deposit which has not been so reclaimed or withdrawn shall, after the decease of the depositor, be entered as a donation, and be deemed the property of the Society; unless, at the time of making the deposit, other conditions shall have been prescribed by the depositor.

ARTICLE V. LIBRARY.

The rooms, with all books, manuscripts, pictures, and articles belonging to or deposited with the Society, shall be under the immediate charge of the Librarian, acting under the direction of the Committee on the Library.

The library shall be open for the inspection of the public, and the examination of books and manuscripts, and transcription therefrom, at such time, and on such conditions, as shall be prescribed by the Committee on the Library; and no book or manuscript shall be taken from the rooms without a special vote of the Society, except by the Committee on Publication.

ARTICLE VI. PUBLICATION FUND.

The legacy left to the Society by its late President, the Hon. Thomas Day, the avails of all life memberships, application fees, and all special donations and subscriptions which may be made thereto, shall constitute a Publication Fund, the income of which shall be applied, under the direction of the Committee on Publication, toward the expense of such publications as may be ordered by the Society.

ARTICLE VII. ALTERATIONS.

Any alteration of these by-laws shall be submitted to a regular meeting held prior to that on which the vote on the same is taken.

President's Address.

May, 1825, an act of incorporation, incorporating the Connecticut Historical Society, was granted by the Connecticut State Legislature. As set forth in the preamble, it was "Upon the petition of John Trumbull and others, shewing that in other States societies have been formed for the purpose of collecting records and other documents connected with the early settlement of our country, and praying for an act of incorporation for the purpose of discovering, procuring, and preserving whatever may relate to the civil, ecclesiastical, and natural history of the United States, and especially of the State of Connecticut".

These "others" and John Trumbull, the Charter Members of our Society, comprised thirty-one of the leading and more intellectual citizens of the State. They were among the leaders in civic and social advancement. In passing, it is of interest that fourteen of these men were residents of Hartford, two each of Wethersfield and New Haven, and that thirteen other towns, scattered throughout the State, were each represented by one of the Charter Members. Sixteen communities had an interest in the establishment of this Society.

The first officers were: president, John Trumbull, the Judge and poet; corresponding secretary, the Rev. Thomas Robbins, D.D.; and secretary of the standing committee, Bishop George Washington Doane, then a professor in Washington College.

It is my purpose to review briefly the attainments and accomplishments of most of our Charter Members. They are all men in whom we may take pride, and feel that the foundation under our feet is sound.

John Trumbull, poet and jurist, was a son of the Rev. John Trumbull, a Congregational minister. He entered Yale College at the age of seven, but being considered too young was rusticated to his home in Westbury until he was thirteen. He matriculated in 1763, and graduated in 1767, after which he studied there three years more, receiving the degree of Master of Arts in 1770. For a time he was a tutor at Yale College.

On being admitted to the bar in 1773, he moved to Boston. He was a writer of essays and verse, and was one of the "Hartford Wits". In 1781 he settled in Hartford where he practiced law, and became Judge of the Superior Court of Connecticut in 1801, and of the Supreme Court of Errors in 1808, both of which offices he held until 1819. He was elected the first president of this Society, but within a year removed from the State. The last six years of his life were spent in Detroit, Michigan, where he died, May, 1831.

Rt. Rev. Thomas Church Brownell, D.D., studied two years in what is now Brown University, and then transferred to Union College where he graduated with high honors in 1804. For more than ten years he was a member of the faculty of Union College, and taught such varied subjects as Latin, Greek, Belles Lettres, Moral Philosophy, Chemistry, and Mineralogy. He entered the Episcopal ministry in 1816, and became Bishop of the Diocese of Connecticut in 1819, and was the founder (1823) and first president of Washington College.

Timothy Pitkin, statesmen, historian and economist, graduated from Yale College, salutatorian of his class, in 1785. He taught for one year and then studied law under Oliver Ellsworth, being admitted to the bar in 1788. He served as a member of Congress, 1805-1819. The remaining years of his life were devoted to writing on historical and economic subjects.

John S. Peters, at the age of eighteen, took charge of a district school in his home town of Hebron, and taught for several years, during which time he studied medicine. In 1797 he began the practice of his profession in Hebron. Town Clerk of Hebron for twenty years, he was a member of the House of Representatives, served in the State Senate, was Lieutenant Governor, 1827-1831, and Governor, 1831-1835.

William Wolcott Ellsworth was a son of Oliver Ellsworth. He graduated with honors at Yale College in 1810, entered the Litchfield Law School, and was admitted to the Hartford bar in 1813. In 1827 he was sent to Congress where he remained five years. Later he was Governor of Connecticut, 1838-1842, and Judge of the Superior Court and also of the Supreme Court of Errors, 1847-1861. He was an incorporator of the American School for the Deaf.

Thomas Day, Yale College 1797. He served as Secretary of State of Connecticut, was Chief Judge of the Hartford County Court, and for fifty years was reporter of the Supreme Court of Errors. On the revival of this Society in 1839 he was elected its president, which office he held until his death, March, 1855.

Thomas Robbins, Congregational minister, entered Yale College in 1792, and at the end of his junior year transferred to Williams College where he graduated in 1796. He was also graduated from Yale College in that year. In 1844 he placed his library of 1,600 or more volumes in the Connecticut Historical Society, and became Librarian at an annual salary of $300.00. Two years later the ownership of the library passed to the Society. Mr. Robbins served as Librarian until 1854, when he retired because of age. In his will he gave to the Society his large collection of coins, and also the rest and residue of his estate which was appraised at $4,686.50.

Isaac Toucey, admitted to the Hartford bar at the age of twenty-two, was State's Attorney for Hartford County for thirteen years. He was representative in Congress, 1835-1839, became Governor of Connecticut in 1846, but served for one year only, was Attorney General of the United States, June, 1848-March, 1849, Secretary of the Navy, March, 1857-March, 1861, and a member of the United States Senate, 1849-1855.

Nathaniel Sheldon Wheaton, Episcopal clergyman, was one of the original trustees of Washington College, and second president of the college, 1831-1837, when he moved to New Orleans to accept a call to the rectorship of Christ Church in that city.

George Sumner, Yale College 1813, received his medical degree from the University of Pennsylvania in 1817. He settled in Hartford where he was one of the founders of the Connecticut Retreat for the Insane, and professor of Botany in Washington College for more than twenty years.

Roger Minott Sherman, LL.D., graduated from Yale College in 1792, and was a tutor there for one year. After attending the Litchfield Law School he was admitted to the New Haven bar in 1796, and practiced first in Norwalk, and then in Fairfield. He was a member of the General Assembly, and

was appointed Judge of the Superior and Supreme Courts in 1840.

William Trumbull Williams was a graduate of Yale College in 1795. He studied law and settled in Lebanon, from which town he was a representative to the General Assembly for four terms.

Martin Welles, a descendant of Thomas Welles, the fourth Governor of Connecticut, graduated from Yale College in 1806. He was admitted to the Hartford bar in 1810, practiced in Newburgh, N. Y. and New York City, 1813-1820, and then returned to Wethersfield. He was representative to the General Assembly for four terms, in the State Senate two terms, and was Chief Judge of the County Court.

Thomas Hopkins Gallaudett, educator of the deaf, moved from Philadelphia to Hartford with his family when he was thirteen. He graduated from Yale College in 1805, was a law student for one year and a tutor at Yale College, and graduated from the Andover Theological Seminary in 1814. He studied methods of education of the deaf abroad during 1815-1816, and founded the American School for the Deaf in Hartford in 1817.

Thomas Scott Williams, Yale College 1794, studied in the Litchfield Law School and was admitted to the Windham County bar in 1799. In 1803 he removed to Hartford. He was representative to Congress, 1817-1819, in 1829 was appointed Associate Judge of the Supreme Court, and Chief Justice in 1834, which office he held until 1847 when he reached the age limit. Mr. Williams was Mayor of Hartford, 1831-1835.

Eli Todd, a graduate of Yale College, with honors, in 1787, first practiced his profession of medicine in Farmington and in New York City. He settled in Hartford in 1820, and was the first superintendent of the Connecticut Retreat for the Insane in Hartford.

Walter Mitchell, a son of Stephen M. Mitchell, formerly Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Connecticut, graduated at Yale College in 1795, attended the Litchfield Law School for two years, and was admitted to the Hartford bar in 1798. He was Presiding Judge of the County Court, 1838-1840.

George Washington Doane, second Episcopal Bishop of New

Jersey, graduated from Union College in 1818, read law for a short time, then studied for the ministry. He was professor of Rhetoric and Belles Lettres in Washington College, 1825-1828, when he removed to Boston.

Samuel B. Woodward, pioneer expert on mental diseases, was licensed to practice medicine at the age of twenty-one, and settled in Wethersfield in 1810. Yale College conferred on him the honorary degree of M.D. He was instrumental in the founding of the Connecticut Retreat for the Insane in Hartford, and, about 1830, was appointed the first superintendent of the State Lunatic Asylum at Worcester, Massachusetts.

Samuel Howard Huntington, a graduate of Yale College in 1818 and a member of the Hartford bar, was a Judge of the County Court for four years. He was a trustee of Washington College for twenty-eight years, and Secretary of the Corporation for twenty-three years.

Samuel W. Dana, Yale College 1775, practiced law in Middletown. He was representative in Congress, 1810-1821, and also served in the United States Senate. In 1799, he was appointed Brigadier General of the Seventh Connecticut Brigade.

James Gould, Yale College 1795, studied in the Litchfield Law School, and was admitted to the bar in 1798. For some time he taught in the Litchfield Law School, was a Judge of the Supreme Court for two years, 1816-1818, and was head of the Litchfield Law School, 1820-1833.

Samuel Augustus Foote, LL.D., entered Yale College at the age of thirteen, and graduated there, with honors, in 1797. He studied at the Litchfield Law School one year, when, on account of bad health, he gave up the pursuit of that profession and entered business in New Haven, then settled on a farm in Cheshire. He was representative in Congress for three terms, and senator, 1827-1833. In 1834 he was elected Governor of Connecticut, but served only one year.

Nathan Johnson practiced law in Hartford, 1807-1852, and was Brigadier General of militia, 1820-1828.

Benjamin Trumbull, Yale College 1790, practiced law in Colchester up to about the year 1843.

The following entries in the Hartford directory of that day are of interest:

The
Pocket Register
of the
City of Hartford:
Containing the Names, location, and Occupations of those persons who transact their business in the city.
1825

Thomas Day. Alderman.
William W. Ellsworth, north side of State-House Square.
Samuel H. Huntington, west side State House Square.
Nathan Johnson, Main-st. 10 rods south State-House Square.
G. Sumner, Main-st. 6 rods south S. House Square.
Isaac Tousey, States Attorney, Main-st. 2 doors north Marshall's Tavern. (Marshall's Tavern was located, according to the Register, at "N.W. corner State-House Square".)
Thomas S. Williams, Main-street, 10 rods north State-House Square.

The present membership of the Society is five hundred and thirty, a decrease of nine during the year. We have done well, during these trying times, to retain our enrollment to the extent done, but there are possibilities for further growth. I would urge that you keep this in mind, and endeavor to interest others in joining the Society.

The papers read at our monthly meetings, during the year, have maintained a high standard of information and interest. It is to be regretted that we do not have a larger attendance of the members and friends of the Society at these meetings, which, I feel sure, they would enjoy. The speakers, and their topics, were as follows:

October 3rd. Chief Justice William M. Maltbie. "The Unconstitutional Period of Connecticut History."

November 7th. President Remsen B. Ogilby of Trinity College. "The History of the Trinity Campus."

December 5th. Dr. Ralph C. Jenkins of Danbury. "Henry Barnard; Educator of Teachers."

January 2nd. Professor Charles E. Cuningham of Trinity College. "The Theater Invades New England."

February 6th. Richard A. Yudkin of Ansonia. "The Black Governors of Connecticut."

March 6th. Charles H. Sullivan of Wethersfield. "Oliver Wolcott: A Symbol of Change."

April 2nd. Thompson R. Harlow, Assistant Librarian of the Society. "The Sons of Liberty, or A Stamp-Man Hanging on a Tree."

May 7th. Miss Constance V. Carrier of New Britain. "Survey of the Poetry Printed in the 'Courant' from 1780 to 1800."

The bequest of Ten Thousand Dollars to the Society, in the will of the late Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel of Norfolk, was received early in last November. The Standing Committee has voted that this bequest be set aside to establish the Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund, and that the income from the fund be applied to general expenses.

Miss Jane Tuttle of Hartford, a life member of the Society since April, 1912, died August last. In a codicil to her will, dated January 18, 1932, she gave an unrestricted legacy of Five Thousand Dollars to the Society. The Standing Committee has voted that this amount shall form a fund which shall bear her name, and that the income be used to meet the general expenses. Her will showed her generous and kindly thought of all with whom she came in contact, which, with unfailing courtesy, was a characteristic of her family.

The much overcrowded condition of our library stacks, and the fact that such a large amount of books were stored at a distance where they were inaccessible, has made it necessary to find additional space near the library. We have been fortunate in renting, for a term of two years at an annual rental of $370.00, a large room and vault in the former Aetna Life Building. This space was given to the Society by the Aetna Insurance Company in a spirit of helpfulness, and was taken from an area which might be needed by that company. It is estimated that we have now placed in these new quarters about seven thousand volumes. This is, of course, only another makeshift. With a large part of our library stored in the basements of the Wadsworth Atheneum and the Morgan Memorial, in addition to that still in the warehouse and in the Aetna building, the use of the library is greatly curtailed.

May first marked the end of the forty-eighth year since Mr. Bates, our Librarian and Recording Secretary, entered upon his work for the Society. From small beginnings, he has built up our present fine library and collections, and his scholar-

ship, which is universally recognized, has added to the prestige of the Society. During February a letter was received from Mr. Bates, from which I quote in part; "Next month I will be seventy-five years old and find that the years are telling on me in various ways. My eyesight is not what it used to be and through much writing, I have lost my ability to wield a pen. It seems to me that as I can no longer properly fill the position that I now hold, I should turn the burden over to Mr. Harlow after our Annual Meeting. I do not wish to entirely drop out from the Library and hope to be about here more or less . . . . The task of carrying on the Librarianship I wish to drop . . . . The years that have passed here have been very pleasant ones and in many ways I shall regret their ending, but time and strength now call for such action". It was with deep regret that the Standing Committee, recognizing the claims Mr. Bates has for retirement and freedom from responsibility, voted to accept his resignation, with the wish that there may be many more useful and peaceful years in store for him. In his withdrawal we suffer a great loss which is somewhat lessened by the fact that we have a competent successor to take his place, and that Mr. Bates will not wholly sever his connection with the library. I recommend, on behalf of the Standing Committee, that Mr. Bates be made Librarian Emeritus for life.

Forms of bequest have been added at the end of the Report of the Treasurer. It is hoped that those who believe in, and have an interest in the work which is being done by the Society will bear in mind the need of further endowment for future usefulness.

EDGAR F. WATERMAN,
President.

Necrology, 1940.

BY PROFESSOR ARTHUR ADAMS, PH.D.

Mrs. Caroline Kimball Noble Barbour

Mrs. Caroline Kimball Noble Barbour, who was admitted to membership in the Society May 21, 1935, died at her home in Portland, Conn., March 10, 1940.

Mrs. Barbour was the daughter of Charles Dexter Noble, M. D., who served as a surgeon during the Civil War with Company F, 17th Maine Regiment, in the Spanish War with the 5th Ohio Regiment. Later he served with the garrison in Columbus, Ohio, and in the Philippines. For years, he practiced his profession in Oberlin, Ohio. Her mother was Annie Maria Brown.

She was born in Oberlin, Ohio, July 3, 1878. October 8, 1902, in Norwalk, Connecticut, she married Thomas Bissell Barbour.

Charles Edward Beach

Dr. Charles Edward Beach, who was admitted to the Society March 1, 1904, died at his home Vine Hill in West Hartford, January 12, 1940.

He was a son of Charles Mason Beach whose wife was Frances Lyman Belknap, and was born in the Beach homestead in West Hartford, September 2, 1862. He was educated in the West Middle School, Hartford, the Hartford Public High School, and the Massachusetts Agricultural College, from which he was graduated in 1882 as a Civil Engineer.

Mr. Beach served the Town of West Hartford in many capacities, having to do especially with surveying and engineering work. He was for a number of years a member of the Board of Selectmen. During the World War, he was a member of the West Hartford War Bureau. He was elected as a Democrat, a member of the Connecticut General Assembly in 1907.

He became a Director of the Whitlock Coil Pipe Company in 1899; from 1908 to 1910, he was Vice-President; and served as President from 1910 to 1925, when he became Chairman of the Board. He was the founder of the Vine Hill Dairy Farm and was President of Beach and Company. He was an Episcopalian and was a member of the Farmington Country Club.

October 8, 1895, he married Catherine Harriet, daughter of Charles Frederick and Julia (Hall) Coffing, a descendant of Tristram Coffin of Nantucket. The children were Thomas Coffing, born October 16, 1899, of West Hartford, and Charles Frederic, born October 11, 1906, also of West Hartford. Miss Mary S. Beach and Miss Edith Beach, of Vine Hill, West Hartford, are sisters, and Thomas Belknap Beach, of West Hartford, is a brother.

Henry Miles Bradley

Henry Miles Bradley, who was admitted to the Society April 1, 1930, died at the New Haven Hospital, New Haven, Connecticut, November 27, 1939.

He was a son of Henry Miles Bradley of Orange, and was born in Derby, Connecticut, November 24, 1882. His mother was Margaretta Crofut, who was born in Derby. Mr. Bradley was by occupation a florist; he was unmarried.

For many years, he was a careful student of Connecticut history, especially of the history of the neighborhood of Derby. He came to be regarded as an authority on local history and on the genealogies of the families of the part of the State in which he was especially interested. He was a member of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, the Milford Historical Society, the Stratford Historical Society, of the Sons of the American Revolution, and of many other historical, patriotic, social, and professional organizations. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Derby.

In politics, he was a Republican, and served his Town and the State in a number of public offices. He was for many years Vice-Chairman of the Derby Republican Town Committee. From 1905 to his death, he was a member of the Derby School Board. In 1920, he was a candidate for the Connecticut House of Representatives, but was defeated by

eighteen votes. In 1932, he was elected State Senator to represent the Seventeenth District. He was reelected in 1934, but in 1937, was defeated. In the Senate, he was a member of the Committee on Education and sponsored the bills adding State and local history to the list of subjects taught in the schools of the State and making American History a required subject in all the high schools of the State.

He prepared several articles for the State Manual at the time of the Tercentenary celebration, notably one concerning the derivation of the names of the Towns and cities of the State.

He is survived by his brother, Louis H. Bradley, and by his sister, Miss Charlotte Bradley.

Myron Henry Bridgman

Myron Henry Bridgman, of Hartford, who was admitted to the Society January 4, 1921, died in Hartford, August 19, 1939.

He was born in Westhampton, Massachusetts, February 14, 1859, a son of Federal Burt Bridgman, whose wife was Sarah Kimbel, born in Willimantic, Connecticut.

For sixty years, he served as Custodian of the vault of the Hartford National Bank and Trust Company, retiring some four years ago.

Mr. Bridgman was twice married, first, to Alice, daughter of the late Elisha Carpenter, Judge of the Connecticut Supreme Court. She died in 1914. He married, secondly, Mary Roberts. He is survived by a brother, Edward B. Bridgman, of Roxbury, Massachusetts, and by several nephews and nieces.

Frederick Stanley Camp

Frederick Stanley Camp, who was admitted to the Society February 5, 1929, died at the Hartford Hospital, July 14, 1939.

He was born in Galion, Ohio, March 15, 1871, a son of Harvey Clark Camp, born in Marion, Ohio, whose wife was Julia Vail, born in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Camp was graduated from Lehigh University in 1891. For twenty-three years, he was Superintendent of Schools in Stamford, Connecticut; for eleven years, he was Superintendent of Elementary Education under the Connecticut State

Board of Education; and for the last six years of his life, he was Professor of Social Sciences at the State Teachers' College in New Britain.

Mr. Camp is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louise Woodbury Camp, by two sons, Frederick S. Camp, Jr., of Los Angeles, California, and Woodbury Camp, of West Hartford, and by a granddaughter.

Walter Haven Clark

Walter Haven Clark, who was admitted to the Society March 7, 1911, and who was a life member, died at his home in Hartford, October 20, 1939.

He was born in Hartford January 20, 1872, a son of Mahlon Newcomb Clark, whose wife was Mary Alice Haven. He was graduated from the Hartford Public High School. In 1896 he received the B.A. degree from Yale University and in 1899 graduated from the Yale Law School. He practiced his profession in Hartford and took a leading part in the political life of the city.

He represented the Tenth Ward in the Old Board of Councilmen, serving as Vice-President and President. He was a member of the General Assembly in 1905, served as Chairman of the Second District of the Draft Board in Hartford during the World War, served as President of the State Public Welfare Commission, as a member of the State Board of Charities, as Trustee of the Long Lane Farm in Middletown, and in 1930 as a member of a special Commission appointed by Governor Trumbull to investigate conditions at the Wethersfield State Prison.

He was a Trustee of the State Savings Bank, a Director of the Hartford Public Library, and a member of the Executive Committee of the Trustees of the Hartford Theological Seminary.

In 1921, he was elected Judge of the Hartford Probate Court. He served with great satisfaction till ill health necessitated his retirement in the fall of 1938.

June 26, 1902, he married Miss Julia E. Gilman of Hartford. He is survived by his widow and by two daughters Mrs. Osborne Earle, of Cambridge, Massachusetts, and by Mrs. William O. Thompson, of Bloomfield. He was a member of the South Congregational Church in Hartford.

Annie Burr Jennings

Miss Annie Burr Jennings, philanthropist and distinguished citizen of Connecticut, died at her home in Fairfield July 27, 1939. She was admitted to membership in the Society February 3, 1925 and had been a Vice-President since 1931.

She was a daughter of Oliver Burr Jennings, a Director of the Standard Oil Company, and was born in San Francisco, California, September 20, 1855. Her mother was Esther Goodsell, a daughter of David Judson Goodsell. Her sister, Almira Geraldine Goodsell, was the wife of the late William Rockefeller, a brother of John D. Rockefeller. Miss Jennings was educated at Miss Porter's School in Farmington.

Miss Jennings made many generous gifts for charitable and educational purposes. She gave generously to Yale University, to the Presbyterian Hospital in New York, to the fund for the restoration of the old Town Hall in Fairfield, and to the Fairfield Library. In 1933, she gave a large tract along Long Island Sound to Fairfield for a public beach and park. She was a member of the Connecticut World's Fair Commission. She was much interested in the work of the Colonial Dames and of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Walter B. James of New York.

Crompton Tuttle Johnson

Crompton Tuttle Johnson, who was engaged in business as a bookseller in Hartford, died at his home in West Hartford, May 27, 1939. He was admitted to the Society February 13, 1934.

He was born August 13, 1890, in Windsor, Connecticut, a son of Elijah Cooper Johnson, who was born in Middle Haddam, and of his wife Annie Tuttle, who was born in Oldtown, Maine.

He served during the World War first, with the ambulance service with the French, and later with the American forces. He was unmarried.

William Maxwell

William Maxwell, of Rockville, Connecticut, who became a life member of the Society December 4, 1894, died at his home in Rockville, July 27, 1939.

He was born in Rockville December 7, 1862, a son of George and Harriett (Kellogg) Maxwell. He was descended from Hugh Maxwell, of County Tyrone, Ulster, Ireland, of Scotch-Irish stock, who came to America in 1733. He was educated in the Rockville public school and in Yale University, graduating in 1885. He was a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity and was active in athletics.

After his graduation from Yale, he entered the textile business with his father. He served as Secretary and Treasurer of the Springville Manufacturing Company for many years. He was also a Director and eventually President of the Hockanum Company. For many years, he was a Director of the Hartford Connecticut Trust Company, the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, and of the Rockville Water and Aqueduct Company. He was a Director of the Rockville Building and Loan Association, of the Rockville Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and was long President of the Savings Bank of Rockville.

He was active in the Republican Party, and for many years served as City Assessor for Rockville. He was a Trustee of the George Sykes Manual Training School, and for many years was Secretary of the Rockville Public Library, which was a gift to the city from the Maxwell family. He was a member of the Union Congregational Church of Rockville.

He was a member of the Hartford Club, the Yale Club of New York, the Automobile Club of Connecticut, the Metropolitan Club of New York, the Farmington Country Club, and of the Hartford Golf Club.

Mr. Maxwell is survived by his brother, Colonel Francis T. Maxwell, of Rockville, and by a sister, Miss J. Alice Maxwell, also of Rockville.

Charles Phelps

Charles Phelps, of Rockville, who was admitted to the Society November 1, 1904, died in Daytona Beach, Florida, February 3, 1940.

He was born in East Hartford August 10, 1852, a son of the Rev. Benjamin C. and Sarah Parker (Humphrey) Phelps. He was descended from William and George Phelps, who came from Tewkesbury, England, in 1630.

He was educated in the private school of Sarah Woodhouse, in Wethersfield, the Wethersfield Academy, the East Greenwich Seminary, East Greenwich, Rhode Island, and was graduated from Wesleyan University in 1875.

He entered the Law Office of Judge B. H. Bill in Rockville, and was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in 1877. After practising for a year in Tolland, he removed to Rockville, where he practised his profession for more than sixty years.

He served as County Coroner from 1883 to 1904, when he became State's Attorney, serving eleven years. From 1890 to 1892, he was Corporation Counsel for the city of Rockville; and Prosecutor of the Rockville City Court from 1890 to 1897. He was a member of the General Assembly from the Town of Vernon in 1885, and a member of the Senate in 1893. He served as Secretary of the State from 1897 to 1899. In 1899, he was elected the State's first Attorney General, serving for four years. He was a Delegate to the State Constitutional Convention in 1902. He was a member of the Commission appointed by the Legislature to consider the creation of a Public Utilities Commission to take the place of the Railroad Commission. Acting on the recommendation of the Committee, the Legislature created the present Commission.

Mr. Phelps was a member of the Advisory Board of the Rockville Branch of the Hartford Connecticut Trust Company, and was for many years Vice-President of the Rockville National Bank. He was a Trustee and Vice-President of the Rockville Public Library, and was long President of the George Sykes Manual Training School. He served for more than three years as President of the Tolland County Bar Association, and was President of the Connecticut Bar Association from 1914 to 1916. He was a member of the Union Congregational Church. He was a member of the Odd Fellows, of the Hartford Golf Club, the Authors Club, of London, and of the Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution.

He married, first, Leila Loomis Bill, daughter of Judge

B. H. Bill, who died at the age of twenty-seven; he married, secondly, March 27, 1900, Elsie Edith Sykes, daughter of the late George Sykes of Rockville, who survives him. He leaves also two daughters: Mrs. Horace Jones, of Hartford, and Mrs. Hugh Jones, of Middletown, N. Y.

Waldo Selden Pratt

Waldo Selden Pratt, who was admitted to the Society January 8, 1924, died at his home in Hartford, July 29, 1939.

He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, November 10, 1857, a son of the Rev. Llewellyn and Sarah Putnam (Gulliver) Pratt. He was graduated from Williams College in 1878; he received the M.A. degree in 1881 and the L.H.D. degree in 1929 from his Alma Mater. In 1898, he received the Mus.D. degree from Syracuse University.

Dr. Pratt studied at Johns Hopkins University, 1878-1880. He was Assistant Director of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, 1880-1882. From 1882 to 1917, he was Professor of Music and of Hymnology, and from 1917 to 1925, Professor of Public Worship, in the Hartford Theological Seminary, becoming Emeritus in 1925. He was Instructor in Elocution in Trinity College from 1891 to 1905. He was a Lecturer on Musical History and Science in Smith College from 1895 to 1908 and in Mount Holyoke College from 1896 to 1899. He served as Organist of the Asylum Hill Congregational Church, Hartford, from 1882 to 1890. He was active in many musical organizations in Hartford and elsewhere for many years.

Dr. Pratt edited many musical publications and wrote much on the History of Music. Among his books may be mentioned his "History of Music", 1907, and the "Music of the Pilgrims", 1921. He also contributed much to periodicals.

July 5, 1887, in New York, he married Mary E. Smyly, who died in 1935.

Charles Donald Rarey

Charles Donald Rarey, who was admitted to membership in the Society April 5, 1938, died in the Hartford Hospital, following an operation, June 16, 1939.

He was born in Columbus, Ohio, May 8, 1888, a son of Frank Rarey, born in Groveport, Ohio, and of his wife Frances Schofield, born in Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. Rarey was a graduate of Kenyon College, and had been Comptroller of the Travelers Insurance Company since 1927. He entered the service of that company in 1910. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, of the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America, and of the Society of Colonial Wars. He was a Director of the Travelers Bank and Trust Company. During the World War, he served in the Navy of the United States.

September 1, 1917, he married Helen Huntington, daughter of William G. Staples, of Westport, Connecticut.

Frank Farnsworth Starr

Frank Farnsworth Starr, a life member and for many years a Vice-President of the Society, who was admitted to membership November 7, 1882, died at his home in Middletown, Connecticut, September 18, 1939.

Mr. Starr was born in Middletown November 11, 1852, a son of General Elihu William Nathan Starr. His mother was Harriet Wetmore Bush, daughter of John C. and Julia Bush, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.

From the age of seventeen, he devoted himself to genealogical work, going to England to make himself familiar with sources and methods of work there. He compiled many genealogies, especially for the Goodwin family of Hartford, and collected much valuable genealogical material.

He was a member of the Middlesex County Historical Society and added much to its collections. He was a most thorough, painstaking, and accurate genealogist, and his work is highly esteemed.

He was a communicant of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Middletown.

Wilbur Ferris Tomlinson

Wilbur Ferris Tomlinson, who was elected a member of the Society June 18, 1936, died at his home in Danbury, January 14, 1940.

He was born in Nora, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, May 16, 1856, a son of William and Ruth (Drew) Tomlinson, an early settler of Milford. His mother, Ruth Drew, was a daughter of Deacon Ferris Drew, of Southeast, Putnam County, New York.

In 1885, Mr. Tomlinson settled in Danbury and engaged in the ice business. From 1890, he was an undertaker in Danbury.

In 1891, he was elected a member of the Common Council of Danbury, and in 1909 and 1910 was a member of the State Legislature.

He was a member of many social organizations. He was President of the Danbury Rotary Club in 1934 and 1935. He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, serving as President of the State Society, and organizing the Captain Ebenezer Baldwin Branch of Danbury, of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America, and of the Society of Colonial Wars. He was a member of Union Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Eureka Chapter, R. A. M.; of Crusader Commandery, Knights Templar, and of the Scottish Rites. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias, the Odd Fellows, and of the Grange.

December 6, 1882, he married Antoinette, daughter of Perkins French, of Easton, who died in 1931.

An only son, Carl P. Tomlinson, of Montreal, Canada, survives him.

Jane Tuttle

Miss Jane Tuttle, of Hartford, who became a life member of the Society April 23, 1912, died at her summer home, in Avondale, Rhode Island, August 20, 1939.

She was a daughter of William and Sarah Ramsey Tuttle. She lived all her life in Hartford; she was a communicant of Christ Church, and was devoted to good works. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the Founders and Patriots of America, and of the Hartford Art Society.

Miss Tuttle bequeathed her considerable estate subject to life estates to Hartford religious and charitable institutions. She left $5,000 to the Connecticut Historical Society, $9,000 to Christ Church Cathedral, and $5,000 to the Cedar Hill Cemetery. The Hartford Hospital, the Old Peoples' Home, The Woman's Aid Society, the Connecticut School for the Blind, the Church Home, the Children's Museum, the Hartford Public Library, the Hartford Orphan Asylum, the Wind-

sor Library Association, and the Newington Home for Crippled Children received bequests.

Ruel Crompton Tuttle

Ruel Crompton Tuttle, of Greenfield, Massachusetts, who was admitted to the Society October 27, 1908, died in Sarasota, Florida, March 10, 1940. Mr. Tuttle was well known as an artist in water colors, as a mural painter, and as a painter of portraits.

He was born in Windsor, Connecticut, September 24, 1866, a son of the Rev. Reuel Hotchkiss Tuttle, Rector of Grace Church, Windsor, whose wife was Sarah Ann Crompton. He was graduated from the Hartford Public High School and from Trinity College in the Class of 1889. In 1905, he received the M. A. degree from the College.

After his graduation from college, he studied Architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He later studied Art in New York and Paris, and was a pupil of Siddons Mowbray, famous mural painter. The First Methodist Church in Hartford is adorned by some of his mural paintings.

He is survived by a nephew, Kenneth Clark Johnson, of Scarsdale, N. Y., and by a niece, Miss Margery K. Johnson, of Hartford.

Librarian's Report.

Mr. President and Members of the Society:

It seems unnecessary and perhaps useless to again call the attention of our members and others to the great handicap our society is under by reason of lack of space for our many treasures, yet your librarian cannot refrain from mentioning a situation that is so constantly evident to him. During the winter many of our books that had been in a storage warehouse were removed to a room which had been secured for the purpose in the adjacent old Aetna Life Building. Numerous duplicates, long series and other books not frequently used were also removed from the library to that room, thus giving temporary relief to our crowded shelves.

A wonderful gift of books was received, through the heirs, from the estate of Mrs. James J. Goodwin whose husband was for many years a Vice-President and a patron of the Society. This gift comprises almost 400 volumes, 75 pamphlets, 70 issues of eighteenth century newspapers and a collection of above 600 bookplates, chiefly English. A number of the books duplicate those already in the library; but will be useful for replacement or perhaps for exchange. In addition to numerous books of American history and genealogy, there are a number of English local histories, a collection of books on arms and heraldry, and a number of volumes on bookplates. The whole forms one of the most valuable gifts of books that the library has received. From the heirs of our deceased member, Mrs. Charles L. F. Robinson, we received about 40 interesting historical volumes of a varied nature. Vice-President Maxwell gave us, in addition to other books, nine valuable pamphlets relating to the Society of the Cincinnati.

The accessions of printed matter during the year number 1041 volumes, 456 pamphlets and 324 miscellaneous items; a total of 1821. Of these 227 volumes, 90 pamphlets and 17 miscellaneous items were purchased, as were also some manu-

scripts which will be noted later. Among these purchases there were credited to the Barbour Fund five volumes; to the Boardman Fund 23 volumes and seven pamphlets; to the Brainard Fund 16 volumes and three pamphlets; to the Hoadley Fund 11 volumes, two pamphlets, four broadsides, and four colonial bills; to the Mather Fund 18 volumes and one pamphlet; to the Morris Fund three volumes; to the Permanent General Fund one rare pamphlet and one collection of copies of unpublished letters of the Revolutionary War period; to the Russell Fund nine volumes. All other purchases are credited to the Robbins Fund. A considerable number of books already purchased on account of the Mather Fund have not yet been received from England.

Our only publications during the year have been the Annual Report of 71 pages and the four numbers of the Bulletin comprising 32 pages with its index of 16 pages additional and its title leaf. It has been voted to publish a volume of vital records, the cost to be defrayed by the "Ancient Vital Records" account; but a final decision as to what shall be published has not yet been made.

Among publications added to the library having Connecticut interest may be mentioned Hooker's Application of Redemption, 1657, Emma Willard and her pupils, Diary of Gideon Welles, Trowbridge's Old Houses of Connecticut, Townshend's Quinnipiack Indians, scrap books of the Connecticut Tercentenary and of the flood and hurricane, States Historical Society publications, Sketch of Richard Alsop, Allis' Connecticut River, History of Guilford, History of Milford, Restoration of the Whitfield House, Selections from the writings of Connecticut women, Diaries of Julia Cowles, Burpee's History of Connecticut in four volumes, Semicentennial of Clinton, Inventors and Engineers of New Haven, Life of Eleazar Wheelock, History of Colebrook, Check List of American Portraits found in Connecticut, Maxim's Horseless Carriage Days, American Genealogist, Edmund B. Thompson's Maps of Connecticut before 1800, Map of New London and vicinity in 1813.

Other books of interest include Diaries of Washington, Women who came in the Mayflower, Gentleman Johnny Burgoyne, Life of J. P. Morgan, Campbell's Puritan in Hol-

land, England and America, Ohio and her Western Reserve, Singleton's Furniture of our Forefathers, Litchfield's Illustrated History of Furniture, Coleman's New England Captives carried to Canada, The Log Cabin Myth, Collection of papers relating to Elizabeth Canning, Turnpikes of New England, The Hadley Chest, Smugglers and Smuggling, Colonial Agents of New England, General Washington's Spies, American Historical Views on Staffordshire ware, Brown's Portrait Gallery, Bibliography of New England sermons and tracts, Art in New England, Vermont in the making by our member M. B. Jones, the magazine Antiques, Our American Music.

Copies of marriages and deaths, 1809-1832, taken from the Connecticut Mirror were made and presented to the society by Charles R. Hale. These have been bound in three volumes and form a valuable source of information relating to families of Hartford and to a lesser degree throughout the state and even beyond its borders.

The addition of Benjamin Hitchborn's oration of 1777 to our valuable collection of Boston Massacre orations, leaves only two vacancies, 1782 and 1783, in our annual file from 1771 to 1783.

By gift and purchase numerous issues of early newspapers have been added to our collection. The papers represented are: Connecticut Journal of New Haven, Litchfield Monitor, Norwich Courier, Windham Herald, Connecticut Herald of New Haven, Norwich Packet, American Mercury of Hartford, Conn., Massachusetts Gazette of Boston, Hampshire Gazette of Northampton, and Hampshire Herald of Springfield, Mass.

During this year and last year several hundred numbers of eighteenth and early nineteenth century newspapers have been added to our collection. Nearly all of these were loose, unbound numbers and most of them more or less incomplete files. These, with others of a similar nature which we previously had, have been laid into large blank books, procured for the purpose from our binder, so that they are now well preserved and easily accessible for use. The number of calls for newspapers has apparently been greater during the year than ever before. Scarcely a day has passed without from one to half a dozen volumes being consulted.

The outstanding addition during the year to our miscel-

laneous historical collections is a tall clock with brass works which now stands in the library and marks the hours with its sweet toned bell. On its dial it bears the name of "Simeon Jocelin, New Haven", while the works are said by the donor to have been made by Eli Terry in 1790. This was the gift of Mrs. Florence Van Fleet Lyman, widow of Moses Lyman, of Longmeadow, Mass. Mrs. Lyman also gave us a collection of twenty silver spoons, a kettle and coffee pot of Sheffield plate, a bureau, two swords, uniforms, silk quilt, bed spread, and other personal articles. Emily M. Strickland of Hartford presented the Ripley coat-of-arms, handsomely embroidered on white silk by Lucy Ripley in 1804-5. From our recently deceased member, Jane Tuttle, we have received a sampler wrought in 1812 and silhouettes of William F. Tuttle, Samuel Tuttle and Mrs. Samuel Tuttle. Vice-President Brainard has given us three large and ornate bricks made about 1790 by Dr. Apollos Kinsley of Hartford in the brick making machine that was one of his numerous inventions.

Miss Gertrude E. Mitchell of New Haven, a descendant of Laurilla A. Smith, one of the famous "Smith Sisters" of Glastonbury, has presented us with three water color paintings done by Miss Smith. They are excellent examples of water color work. One is "The Death of Marc Antony" in which he is represented as being near death, and is supported by Cleopatra, who holds a cloth to his wound. Behind him stands a figure, probably representing Charmion, Cleopatra's maid. The other two pictures are entitled "The Sons of Tippoo Saib about to be Delivered as Hostages to the English" and "Tippoo Saib Delivering his Sons to the English". Tippoo, his family and attendants are shown, dressed in East Indian costumes, and the Englishmen in semi-military dress. These pictures are of interest, both for the excellency of the work, and because of their association with locally famous characters.

Vice-President Newton C. Brainard has continued his gifts of excellent photographs of old Connecticut churches, until now we possess pictures of nearly all the early and typical churches in the State.

Mention should be made of a series of seven early tracts, all printed in London, by or relating to Rev. Thomas Goodwin, which formed a part of the Goodwin Gift.

Connecticut eighteenth century imprints of 1774, 1780, 1782, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1790, 1797 (2), 1799, 1800 have been added to our collection. Four Colonial bills have been added to the collection gathered by our former President, Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D.

With income from the Mather Fund, a number of genealogies of families who were in this country at an early date, as well as volumes of English parish registers, probate and other records and lists showing emigration to this country, have been purchased. The fact that there is so much English material in print and that so many of the most desirable publications are already in the Watkinson Library, makes the task of selecting for purchase a difficult one.

The volumes in this library and in the Watkinson Library taken together, now make a complete file of The Numismatist, which has proved useful in connection with our collection of coins and medals.

We received from Robert H. Prutting a collection of about 175 medals and badges that had been gathered by Henry F. Smith, a former town clerk of Hartford. These and other medals in our collection have all been listed on cards during the year by Miss Hoxie. The medals deposited with us by the Hartford Numismatic Society had already been listed. Our United States coins also had previously been listed. A beginning has also been made in listing our foreign coins. We lack only twenty specimens to complete the series of one of each year of the United States silver and minor coins. Most of these, like the 1804 dollar, we can never hope to secure. To make our series complete with major varieties and mint marks, about 200 specimens would be needed.

A considerable amount of much needed binding and rebinding has been done during the year.

It has chanced that during the three or four years last past, not all of the income available for the purchase of books has been expended. This has resulted in a surplus of income in some of our funds. In consequence, more than the average amount was available this year, and purchases have been made more freely than perhaps ever before.

The following printed family genealogies have been added to our collection during the year: Anderson, Botsford, Day,

Fitch, Folger, Foote, Foster, Fox, French, Galt, Goodwin, Goodwyn, Hall, Harlee, Hatfield, Hickok, Hildredth, Hough, Hoyt, Hoyt-Webb and Ferris, Hunter, Jackson, Jagger, Keeler Ancestry, Kinne, Kittredge, Law, Leavitt, Lusk, McClure, Maxwell, Morgan (2), Morse (2), Overton and Waters, Parish, Parker and Morse, Patten, Pember, Plaisted, Reid and others, Reynolds, Skilton, Snow-Estes Ancestry, Speare, Symonds, Tanner, Throop-Goldsmith Ancestry, Treadway, Tyler, Elkins and others, Van Voorhees, Washington, Waterman, Waters-Law, Wentworth, Wightman.

The manuscripts acquired during the year and their sources are as follows:

Corinne Bacon, New Britain.
Ancestry of Col. William P. Bacon of New Britain.

Tracy Bartholomew, Pittsburg, Pa.
Genealogical lines, notes and papers relating to the Bartholomew family.
Genealogical papers relating to the Shelton family.

Albert C. Bates, Hartford.
Correspondence of the Halsey family of Windsor, 1830-1850. (27)

Robert C. Beers, Hartford.
Letter by John A. Burnett, dated St. Augustine, Fla., November 16, 1863.

Mrs. Bertha L. H. Benn, Hartford.
Genealogical notes on the families of Cross, Dixon, Douglas, Ellsworth, Hatheway, Hurlburt, Kenyon, Little, Reynolds, Rogers, Sabin, Smith, Strickland, Talbut, Webb, and copies of Marietta (Ohio) Cemetery Inscriptions.

Morgan B. Brainard, Hartford.
Diary of Frederick Lathrop Gleason, 1875.
Diary of Harriett Atwood (Brainard) Kellogg, 1873.
Two stories of real life.

Newton C. Brainard, Hartford.
Records (or Minute Book) of the Stockholders and Directors of the Hartford Paper Company, 1873-1918.

Eveline W. Brainerd, Haddam.
Reminiscences of the Bushnell Controversy.

W. F. Brooks, New Britain.
Miscellaneous genealogical notes.

Cory Bush, Hartford.
Elections in League of Honor Society at Edward L. Hart's school in Farmington, 1857-1858.

Mrs. Eva L. Butler, Groton.
Family records copied from Bibles owned in Groton and vicinity. (2 volumes)

Mrs. Oliver A. Campbell, East Norwich, N. Y.

Vital records from first Session Book of the First Presbyterian Church, Rochester, N. Y., 1815-1839.

Henry A. Castle, Plainville.

Letter by J. Priestly to Benjamin Franklin, dated Birmingham, June 24, 1782.

Martha K. Collins and Margaret Race, Hartford.

Diary of Gouvenour Morris, March 4, 1789 to January 14, 1790. (Copy)

Evanston Historical Society, Evanston, Ill.

Proceedings of Addison Association in Middlebury, Vt., June 15, 1828.

Mary Francis, Hartford.

Letters and papers by, or relating to, Charles Sigourney.

Bartlett genealogy and letters relating to it and to the Bartlett family association.

Elizabeth B. Gaylord, Torrington.

The Torringford Meeting House.

Ellis Gilbert, West Hartford.

Gilbert genealogy (supplementing the Gilbert manuscript genealogy by Homer W. Brainard).

Mrs. James J. Goodwin Estate.

Drawings of North America and South Amercia, by J. J. Goodwin.

Pedigree of the family of Morgan.

Pedigree of the family of Pierpont.

Tracings of two letters, relating to the early Hartford Church controversy, March 12, 1655 and February 12, 1657.

Charles R. Hale, Hartford.

Record of deaths copied from the "Connecticut Mirror".

Record of marriages copied from the "Connecticut Mirror".

Vernon B. Hampton, New York City.

Records of the Denton, Hampton and Webb families.

Records of the Methodist Church, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Mrs. Nelson C. Haskell, Amherst, Mass.

Deeds to Michael Duning of Connecticut, 1752-1765. (6) (Photostats)

Charles R. Harte, New Haven.

Partial list of booklets and newspaper supplements on the hurricane of September 21, 1938.

B. Griggs Holt, Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Tolland and Windham County deeds, 1818-1851, (21), letters (19), miscellaneous (13).

Ray G. Hurlburt, Oak Park, Ill.

Copy of the donor's application paper for the Society of Descendants of Colonial Clergy.

Henry R. Johnson, Springfield, Mass.

Business papers, principally of residents of Somers. (1 box) .

Deeds, with a few other papers, chiefly of Somers and nearby towns. (1 box)

Mabel M. Johnson, Hartford.

Autograph album with long sentiment, by Frank (Frances) Willard, while at Amenia Seminary.

Letters and other writings of Horace Winchell, 1856-1872.

Poetry: Edward Johnson to Antoinette C. Winchell, 1859.

Letters written by Frances Willard, 1860. (2)

Mrs. Florence Van Fleet Lyman, Longmeadow, Mass.

Book of cooking recipes.

Writings by Mrs. Lyman, with letters, clippings and pictures included. (41 volumes)

Genealogical notes and chart of the Lyman genealogy.

Letters of Ellen Douglas Lyman to her grandmother, Mrs. Seth Dexter.

Ken Maclise, Haddam.

Letters to Lucius J. Hendee, Town Clerk of Hebron, 1851-1860.

Francis T. Maxwell, Rockville.

Collection of autograph letters (mostly L.S.) by famous men of recent times.

Copy of New York State Commission to Elihu Billings as Captain of Militia, May 2, 1798.

E. Allen Moore, New Britain.

Address on the Kensington Church.

Horace G. W. Moore, Hartford.

Descendants of Asa and Mary Goodman.

Supplement to "Descendants of Thomas and Mary Sanford".

Mrs. Everett L. Morse, Hartford.

Letter from Joseph R. Hawley to E. L. Morse, dated March 1, 1886, relating to the Free Bridge at Hartford.

John Howard Morse, Hartford (late of Cannes, France).

Hartford Post Office Accounts of William Ellery, October 31. 1767 to 1770.

John Ellery's memorandum book, 1745-1746.

"Observations or Meditations", chiefly religious.

Petty Ledger, No. 1, of William Ellery, Hartford, 1765-1766.

Political resolution of members of the Colored Church in Hartford, March 3, 1875.

Superior Court Minutes, 1790-1801, and Duties received, 1799-1800.

Virginia B. Pope and Mary L. B. Todd, Wilmette, Ill.

Descendants of Captain Thomas Bull (1610-1684) an Original Proprietor of Hartford.

Waldo S. Pratt Estate.

Ancestry of Llewellyn Pratt.

Ancestry of Waldo S. Pratt.

Nott genealogy.

Pratt family deeds and accounts.

Rev. George Roberts, West Hartford.

Deeds of land in Hartford, 1766-1779. (13)

Letters from Gideon Welles to Ozias Roberts, December 24, and December 25, 1836. (2)

Patent to William A. Le Row, October 1, 1872.

Heirs of Mrs. C. L. F. Robinson, West Hartford.

Log of the Yacht "Dauntless" during cruises in 1882 and 1883.

Mrs. Irene Mix Root, Hartford.

Calkins family records, copied from the Barbour Vital Records in the State Library.

Helen E. Royce, Hartford.

Letter relating to the Indian wife of Ephraim Webster.

Mrs. A. C. Schoonover, New York City.

Wilcox genealogical notes and Reynold Webb Wilcox papers.

Mrs. Olive Cole Smith, Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

Articles of faith and original list of members of the Fourth Church, Guilford, 1731.

Stamford Historical Society, Stamford.

Sherman family reminiscences.

Algot G. Stenberg, Hartford.

Original notes of the ancestral register of Bertrand A. Page of Hartford.

Charles Henry Strong, Hartford.

Letter from Isaac White to his wife, written from Savannah, Georgia, November 20, 1809.

The late Jane Tuttle, Hartford.

Copy of Wyatt records of Branton, England, and letter of Mr. Jeremiah Allyn.

J. W. Wadsworth, Geneseo, N. Y.

Correspondence of Gen. Nathaniel Terry of Hartford, 1813, relating to the War of 1812. (57)

Documents relating to the estate of Gov. Jonathan Trumbull, Jr., circa 1809. (14)

Letter of Major John Fitch to Col. John Mix, August 18, 1813.

Letters of Rev. John Cotton Smith to Col. John Mix, August 18, 1813. (3)

Watkinson Library, Hartford.

Resolutions by the Hartford Hospital and by the Hartford Medical Society on the death of Dr. Gurdon W. Russell.

E. Stanley Welles, Newington.

Account book of the Newington Home Missionary Society, 1831-1853. (Copy)

Narrative of Elizabeth Goodwin Smith.

Record of deaths in the diary (1737-1747) of Rev. Daniel Wadsworth, seventh Pastor of the First Church, Hartford.

Purchases.

Copies of correspondence of Dudley Woodbridge of Norwich, 1776-1788, and portage bills.

"History of Massachusetts Bay", Vol. 3, beginning with Chapter 3. Copy of original manuscript. (Not as printed.)

Manuscript of Gov. Hutchinson's "History of Massachusetts Bay", Vol. 3, compared with the published history of 1828.

Memorial to Parliament, with duplicate.
Copy of correspondence relating to printing the 3rd volume of Hutchinson's "History".
Copy of the Stamp Act, 1765, with duplicate.
Courtmartial (1), autographs (3).
Extracts from the diary of Gov. Thomas Hutchinson, July 5, 1774 to March 6, 1780.
Letter from David Chapin to S. C. Bemis, Boston, August 26, 1862.
Letters to Chauncey F. Cleveland, (30) and miscellaneous bills and letters.
Letters written in Guilford, 1769-1771, relating to sickness there. (3)
Narrative of Ebenezer Hazard.
Notes on the Kilbourn family.
Nott family correspondence and family record, with a few other letters.
Receipt for toll to Union Company, for a boat passing in the Connecticut River, November 19, 1834.
Records pertaining to the Wolcott family. (2)
Reich and oher families.
Repeal of Stamp Act, 1765, and letter from Secretary Conway to the American Governors, with duplicate.
Stamp Congress, New York, 1765.
Story of the Declaration of Independence.
Bible records of the following families: Adams, Allen, Austin, Baker, Baldwin, Bradley, Browne, Bunnell, Calder, Callahan, Chapin, Clarke, Converse, Crooks, Day, Duren, Dutton, Eaton, Fairchild, Fisk, Fluck, Fox, Fuller, Gangloff, Garretson, Gibbs, Gibbud, Gilwee, Gould, Grant, Hayer, Henry, Kendall, Laighton, Lane, Loomis, Lyman, Merriam, Moore, Nichols, Osborn, Penhallow, Pratt, Prichard, Purrington, Rowe, Sheffield, Smith (2), Spaulding, Stanley, Stebbins, Stinson, Taylor, Terrell, Tuttle, Ure, Ward, Wills.

An unusual manuscript recently presented is a copy, evidently made many years ago, of a considerable part of the diary kept by Gouvenor Morris while he was in France. Of course the undecipherable, blotted out portions do not appear in this copy; but it does contain numerous passages of curious interest leading up to the blotted out portions which do not appear in the diary as published last year.

A fortunate and interesting purchase was a copy, beginning with chapter three, of the original manuscript of the third volume of Hutchinson's "History of the Province of Massachusetts Bay". Governor Thomas Hutchinson published the first two volumes of his history previous to 1770. The third volume, edited by his grandson after the governor's death, was

not published until 1828. In publishing this third volume, (or at least its third chapter) Mr. Hutchinson took wide editorial liberties with his grandfather's manuscript: paragraphs were frequently omitted, either entirely or in part, and there were numerous changes of wording in the published volume, so that the book as a whole differs widely from the manuscript, as prepared and left by the Governor. In some instances at least, these omissions and alterations were apparently made with the idea of lessening the author's somewhat critical attitude, and perhaps to save the feelings of the descendants of persons whom he mentions. As a result of these changes, the third volume, as published in 1828, differs widely from the author's original manuscript. The editor of the recent edition of Hutchinson's "History", published in 1936, states in his introduction that "in preparing the present edition, I have, of course, followed Hutchinson's final revision of volumes I and II and the original manuscript of volume III." Comparison of the third volume of this recent edition with our copy of the author's manuscript shows, however, that very few of the changes and omissions from that manuscript appear in this recent edition, and that it closely follows, with slight alterations, the published edition of 1828. The conclusion must be drawn that the original manuscript of the latter part of volume three, copy of which is now owned by the Society, has never been published as it was written by Governor Hutchinson.

Accompanying this manuscript is a carefully prepared comparison, showing all differences between the manuscript and the published edition of 1828. There are also accompanying it extracts from Governor Hutchinson's diary, copy of correspondence relating to the publication of the third volume by the Governor's grandson, and some other allied material.

In addition to other duties, Mr. Harlow, who manifests much interest in the library, has worked quite steadily upon the cataloging of both new accessions and of books that had previously been on our shelves. Miss Hoxie also has done some cataloging in addition to considerable listing of books and manuscripts. She has also become familiar with the library and acquainted with our regular patrons.

In July 1889 a young man was admitted to membership in this Society, the youngest person ever to be admitted up to

that time. A little less than three years later, in May, 1892, he entered the employ of the Society and upon the reopening of the library at the beginning of the following year, 1893, he was appointed its librarian and has so continued by successive reappointments until the present time. This is a position of which he has ever been proud and, except for one period of illness and one season broken into by home duties, he has usually been found at his desk. For the last few years Father Time, in the guise of old age, has been pursuing him and has now caught up with him and while withholding the scythe, has held up the hour glass with its slowly trickling sands. Your librarian realizes that he can no longer carry out the duties of the position as formerly and has requested his superior officers to appoint in his stead a younger person who, he trusts, in the coming years, will be able to fill and more than fill his place. As in every path of life, there have been occasional rough spots; but as a whole a position in which your librarian would have been happier could not have been found and separation from it brings a feeling of sadness and regret. A desire for the welfare and prosperity of the Society and its library will continue with him until his book of life reaches its "Finis".

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT C. BATES,
Librarian.

CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Report of

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, TREASURER

Balance Sheet, April 30, 1940

ASSETS

Real Estate, Schedule "D"	$211,770.00	
Library, " "	350,000.00	
Museum, " "	100,000.00	
Furnishings, " "	2,500.00	
Investments—		
Bonds, " "	75,968.83	
Stocks, " "	343,362.16	
Mortgage Loans, Schedule "D"	30,306.00	
Savings Banks, " "	54,056.26	
Cash, Schedule "D"	9,090.63	
		$1,177,053.88

FUNDS

Principal of Trust Funds, Schedule "B"	$1,169,724.10	
Plus gain to Consolidated Fund	3,207.19	
Income of Trust Funds, Schedule "C"	4,722.50	
	$1,177,653.79	
Less Deficit General Fund, Schedule "A"	599.91	
		$1,177,053.88

Schedule "A"

Statement of Income for General Expenses

Income:		
Annual Dues		$977.00
Miscellaneous Income		5.35
Unrestricted Funds		
Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	$2,918.07	
Sophia F. H. Coe Fund	44.73	
General Fund	731.33	
George Henry Fitts Fund	123.10	
James J. Goodwin Fund	398.06	
E. Stevens Henry Fund	23.43	
James B. Hosmer Fund	213.00	
William W. Knight Fund	340.80	
Edward B. Peck Fund	1,384.49	
Publication Fund (Bulletin)	164.55	
William H. Putnam Fund	8.60	
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	340.80	
Edwin Simons Fund	230.04	
Jane T. Smith Fund	42.60	
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	222.94	
Mary K. Talcott Fund	259.86	7,446.40
		$8,428.75

Less:		
General Expenses		
Salaries	$5,772.92	
Telephone	37.50	
Postage and Stationery	202.45	
Printing and Binding	482.18	
Library Supplies	89.34	
Repairs	17.93	
Cartage and storage	629.75	
Fees	868.81	
Insurance	261.81	
Incidental expenses	254.26	
Bulletin account	443.25	
Expenses of speaker	4.00	9,064.20
Loss for the year		$635.45

Statement of the General Fund

Surplus Income

		1939	
Loss for the year	$635.45	May 1, Balance of Income	$35.54
		Deficit	599.91
	$635.45		$635.45

Schedule "B"

Principal of Trust Funds

Ancient Vital Records Fund	$856.90
*Lucius B. Barbour Fund	444.00
*William F. J. Boardman Fund	828.18
*Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	1,991.13
*Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	68,500.00
*Sophia F. Hall Coe Fund	1,050.00
*Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	148.50
*George Henry Fitts Fund	5,521.87
General Fund	465,272.11
*James J. Goodwin Fund	17,855.35
*E. Stevens Henry Fund	550.00
*Charles J. Hoadly Fund	2,277.19
*George E. Hoadley Fund	502,761.05
*James B. Hosmer Fund	5,000.00
*Newman Hungerford Fund	2,000.00
*William W. Knight Fund	8,000.00
*Horace Mather Fund	5,000.00
*Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	93.00
*Edward B. Peck Fund	32,500.00
Permanent General Fund	1,014.86
*Publication Fund	9,213.95
*William H. Putnam Fund	202.07
*Thomas Robbins Fund	6,553.53
*Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	8,000.00
*Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	222.67
*James Shepard Fund	1,262.57
*Edwin Simons Fund	5,400.00
*Jane T. Smith Fund	1,000.00
*Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	10,000.00
*Mary K. Talcott Fund	6,100.00
*E. Stanley Welles Fund	105.17
	$1,169,724.10

* Included in Consolidated Fund.

Schedule "C"

Income of Trust Funds

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund	$26.37
William F. J. Boardman Fund	53.12
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	119.92
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund—Surplus Income	186.88
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	49.48
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	127.88
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—Surplus Income	187.52
Newman Hungerford Fund	3.52
Horace E. Mather Fund	440.91
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	3.88
Permanent General Fund	28.09
Publication Fund—Surplus Income	3,194.72
Thomas Robbins Fund	83.34
Thomas Robbins Fund—Surplus Income	179.91
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	36.96
	$4,722.50

Schedule "D"

Inventory of Assets

	Book Value	
Real Estate	$211,770.00	
Library	$350,000.00	
Museum	100,000.00	
Furnishings	2,500.00	
	$452,500.00	
		Market Value
Bonds:		
$4,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959, Certificate of Deposit (interest irregular)	$1,460.00	$1,400.00
2,000 New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. 6%-1948	720.00	415.00
2,000 Province of Ontario Deb. 4½%-1951	2,152.12	1,930.00
40,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	40,517.20	43,537.50
31,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	31,119.51	32,927.82
	$75,968.83	$80,210.32
Stocks:		
50 shs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00	$6,100.00
190 " Aetna Insurance Co.	8,172.50	9,785.00
820 " Aetna Life Insurance Co.	27,916.00	25,420.00
117 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	14,485.39	20,182.50
50 " Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	4,736.87	2,825.00

10 "	Bank of New York & Trust Co.	$4,644.00	$4,150.00
20 "	Chase National Bank	540.50	685.00
36 parts	Chatham-Phoenix Corporation Certificate of Beneficial Interest	0	0
20 shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00	1,550.00
32 "	Collins Co.	3,535.00	4,640.00
200 "	Commonwealth Edison Co. of Chicago	6,232.25	6,500.00
600 "	Connecticut General Life Insurance Co.	20,300.00	17,400.00
115 "	Connecticut Light & Power Co.	6,165.00	7,245.00
156 "	Connecticut Power Co.	6,179.85	8,190.00
100 "	Consolidated Edison Co.	2,262.49	3,187.50
100 "	Consolidated Edison Co. $5 pfd.	8,778.36	10,775.00
22 "	Continental Insurance Co.	668.97	880.00
11 "	Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00	1,815.00
20 "	Guaranty Trust Co.	5,035.00	5,960.00
304 "	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	20,923.54	23,408.00
603 "	Hartford Electric Light Co.	24,201.27	41,004.00
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00	6,120.00
310 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	8,305.00	8,835.00
180 "	Illuminating Shares Co., Class A	10,100.00	11,250.00
24 "	Manufacturers Trust Co.	462.00	942.00
740 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	28,895.51	43,290.00
14 "	Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00	1,239.00
600 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00	48,600.00
25 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	5,000.00	7,125.00
10 "	Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. pfd.	1,136.25	1,730.00
40 "	Southern New England Telephone Co.	5,271.50	6,840.00
63 "	Tampa Electric Co. com.	1,731.91	1,850.63
220 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	82,114.00	101,200.00
22 "	Union Pacific R. R. Co. pfd.	1,848.00	1,881.00
10 "	United States Steel Corp. pfd.	875.00	1,235.00
		$343,362.16	$443,839.63

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 281 Grandview Terrace, Hartford, Conn.)	$7,500.00
Nora J. Fay (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 147-149 Madison St., Hartford, Conn.)	4,320.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28 Price Boulevard, West Hartford, Conn.)	4,700.00
Bridget M. Moloney (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28-30 Hamilton St., Hartford, Conn.)	6,900.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-125 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	986.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-1757 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located	2,958.00

at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P34-573 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 328 North Main St., West Hartford, Conn., in the name of Helen K. French)	$1,974.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P48-1808 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 157-159 Campfield Ave., Hartford, Conn., in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.)	968.00
	$30,306.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Dime Savings Bank	617.93
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Farmington Savings Bank	179.91
Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	6,022.62
Mechanics Savings Bank	2,464.72
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,344.51
Mechanics Savings Bank	187.52
Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75
Mechanics Savings Bank	1,014.86
Society for Savings	256.99
Society for Savings	186.88
Society for Savings	17,950.32
State Savings Bank	3,222.27
State Savings Bank	856.90
State Savings Bank	2,756.26
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09
	$54,056.26

Cash Balances:

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund—Income	$26.37
William F. J. Boardman Fund—Income	53.12
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund—Income	119.92
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund—Income	49.48
Consolidated Fund—Principal	742.49
General Fund—Principal	376.17
General Fund—Income	*599.91**
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—Income	127.88
George E. Hoadley Fund—Principal	7,598.41
Newman Hungerford Fund—Income	3.52
Horace E. Mather Fund—Income	440.91
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund—Income	3.88
Permanent General Fund—Income	28.09
Thomas Robbins Fund—Income	83.34
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund—Income	36.96
	$9,090.63

* Overdrawn.

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS

ANCIENT VITAL RECORDS FUND

This fund was instituted in 1907 and was raised by subscriptions of from $1 to $100. It is to be used in the publishing of the ancient town records of Connecticut, the sale of which it is expected will secure the continuance of the fund.

Principal

Deposit—		1939		
State Savings		May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$833.63
Bank . . .	$856.90		From Income .	20.77
			Sale of Books .	2.50
	$856 90			$856 90

Income

To Principal .	$20.77	Interest . . .	$20.77

LUCIUS B. BARBOUR FUND

Established in 1923 by Lucius B. Barbour, a member, who died July 29, 1934, by the gift of copies of Manwaring's "Early Connecticut Probate Records—Hartford District." Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund.

Principal

Consolidated		1939		
Investments .	$444.00	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$407.00
			Sale of Books .	37.00
	$444.00			$444.00

Income

Books purchased .	$21.00	1939		
1940		May 1,	Balance of Income	$29.56
Apr. 30, Balance of Income	26.37		Interest . . .	17.81
	$47.37			$47.37

WILLIAM F. J. BOARDMAN FUND

This fund is derived from the sale of copies of the "Boardman Genealogy," "Wethersfield Inscriptions," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry," given to the Society in 1907 by Mr. William F. J. Boardman, a life member, who died November 23, 1912. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of genealogies and town histories, the preference to be given to such volumes as may pertain to families treated of in the "Boardman Genealogy," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry."

Principal

Consolidated		1939		
Investments .	$828.18	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$818.18
			Sale of Books .	10.00
	$828.18			$828.18

Income

	Books Purchased .	$103.10	1939	
1940			May 1, Balance of Income	$121.15
Apr. 30, Balance of Income		53.12	Interest . . .	35.07
		$156.22		$156.22

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND

Established in 1892 by a gift from Miss Lucy A. Brainard, a life member, who died December 28, 1908, and was increased by later gifts from her to a total of $1,000, and which is being further increased through the sale of books presented for the purpose by her and by Morgan B. Brainard, Newton C. Brainard and The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company. The income only is to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$1,991.13	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,977.13
		Sale of Books .	14.00
	$1,991.13		$1,991.13

Income

	Books Purchased .	$69.75	1939
1940			May 1, Balance of Income $105.31
Apr. 30, Balance of Income		119.92	Interest . . . 84.36
		$189.67	$189.67

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

Society for Savings . .	$186.88	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$182.36
		Interest . . .	4.52
	$186.88		$186.88

SILAS CHAPMAN, JR., FUND

Established November, 1926, by the receipt of a legacy of $63,370.65 from the estate of Silas Chapman, Jr. of Hartford, a former member, who died September 10, 1925. The legacy was without any restriction, and the income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$68,500.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$68,500.00
	$68,500.00		$68,500.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$2,918.07	Interest . . .	$2,918.07

SOPHIA F. HALL COE FUND

Established in April, 1916, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,017.00 from the estate of Mrs. Sophia F. Hall Coe of Meriden, Connecticut, widow of Levi E. Coe, a former member. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$1,050.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,050.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$44.73	Interest . . .	$44.73

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY OF COLONIAL WARS FUND

Established in 1925 by the gift from that Society of a one-half interest in the remaining unsold copies of the "Vital Records of Norwich, 1659-1848," which it had published in two volumes. The income only is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$148.50	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$148.50

Income

1940 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$49.48	1939 May 1, Balance of Income	$43.14
		Interest . . .	6.34
	$49.48		$49.48

CONSOLIDATED FUND

Principal

Bonds:	Book Value		
		1939 May 1, Am't of Fund	$191,561.03
		Transferred from Income:	
$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corp. (Certificate of Deposit) 6-1959 .	$730.00	Fitts Fund . . .	109.89
2,000 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. 6-1948 . .	720.00	Goodwin Fund . .	355.35
2,000 Province of Ontario 4½%-1951 . .	2,152.12	Shepard Fund . .	52.09
		Stoeckel Legacy . .	10,000.00
		Welles Fund . .	4.09

15,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	$14,910.94
5,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	5,040.23
		$23,553.29

Stocks:

50 shs.	Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00
100 "	Aetna Insurance Co.	4,932.50
140 "	Aetna Life Insurance Co.	2,520.00
62 "	Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7,855.01
25 "	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., pfd.	2,246.25
10 "	Bank of New York & Trust Co.	4,644.00
20 "	Chase National Bank	540.50
36 parts	Chatham Phoenix Corp. (Certificate of Beneficial Interest)	.00
20 shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburg R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00
5 "	Collins Co.	475.00
200 "	Commonwealth Edison	6,232.25
33 "	Conn. Light & Power Co.	1,770.00
125 "	Conn. Power Co.	5,205.00
100 "	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.	2,262.49
82 "	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., pfd.	8,056.68
22 "	Continental Insurance Co.	668.97
11 "	Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00
20 "	Guaranty Trust Co.	5,035.00
150 "	Hartford Elec. Lt. Co.	9,315.00
50 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	1,025.00
180 "	Illuminating Co. Class A	10,100.00
24 "	Manufacturers Trust Co. com.	462.00
70 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	4,375.00
14 "	Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00
15 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	2,550.00
40 "	So. N. E. Tel. Co.	5,271.50
20 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	8,614.00
22 "	Union Pacific R. R. Co., pfd.	1,848.00
10 "	U. S. Steel Corp., pfd.	875.00
		$104,995.15

Admission Fees	$66.00
Sale of Books	130.00
Plus:	
Net gain on Securities	747.92

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor	$7,500.00
Nora J. Fay	4,320.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci	4,700.00
Bridget M. Moloney	6,900.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.	968.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	986.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	2,958.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of E. K. and H. K. French	1,974.00
	$30,306.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	6,022.62
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,344.51
Society for Savings	17,950.32
State Savings Bank	2,756.26
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
	$43,429.44
Uninvested	742.49
	$203,026.37

			$203,026.37

Income

Amortization Expense	$19.32	Dividends	$5,093.02
Transfer Tax	.53	Interest	3,218.04
Distributed to various funds (Income)	8,291.21		
	$8,311.06		$8,311.06

GEORGE HENRY FITTS FUND, In Memory of Colonel Thomas Knowlton

Established in 1925 by a legacy of $10,000 from the estate of George Henry Fitts of Willimantic, Connecticut, a former member, who died January 10, 1925, given in memory of his great-grandfather, Colonel Thomas Knowlton, and to be held as a fund, the income only to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

		1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,411.98
Consolidated Investments	$5,521.87	From Income	109.89
	$5,521.87		$5,521.87

Income

To Principal Account	$109.89	Interest	$232.99
To General Expenses	123.10		
	$232.99		$232.99

GENERAL FUND

The fund was established about 1849. Included in it are a gift of $1,000 received from the Pawtucket Bank in 1849; a gift of $1,000 from the City Bank of Hartford in 1852, and a legacy of $1,000 received in 1860 from the estate of David Watkinson, a former member, who died December 13, 1857.

Principal

Library	$350,000.00	1939	
Museum	100,000.00	May 1, Amount of Fund	$464,811.41
Furnishings	2,500.00	Gain on Securities	460.70
Investments:			
$1,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½% 1953/49	979.38		
25 shs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	2,490.62		
67 shs. Conn. Light & Power Co.	3,588.75		
18 shs. Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. pfd.	721.68		
10 shs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. pfd.	1,136.25		
State Savings Bank	3,222.27		
Society for Savings	256.99		
Uninvested	376.17		
	$465,272.11		$465,272.11

Income

To General Expenses	$731.33	Dividends	$486.00
		Interest	245.33
	$731.33		$731.33

JAMES J. GOODWIN FUND

Established by a gift of $20,000 made in October, 1915, by Mrs. James J. Goodwin in memory of her husband, a former life member and vice-president, who died June 23, 1915. The income only is to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$17,855.35	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$17,500.00
		From Income	355.35
	$17,855.35		$17,855.35

Income

To General Expenses . .	$398.06		Interest . . .	$753.41
To Principal Acc't	355.35			
	$753.41			$753.41

E. STEVENS HENRY FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $500 from the estate of the Hon. Edward Stevens Henry of Vernon, Connecticut, a former member and vice-president, who died February 8, 1922. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$550.00	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$550.00
	$550.00			$550.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$23.43		Interest . . .	$23.43
	$23.43			$23.43

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND

Established in 1901 by a gift from Mr. George E. Hoadley, a life member at his death, November 21, 1922, of copies of the Records of the Colony of Connecticut, and a later gift of additional copies and of copies of the Records of the State of Connecticut, in memory of his brother, Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D., sometime president of the Society. The proceeds from the sale of these books constitute the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$2,277.19	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$2,243.19
			Books Sold . .	34.00
	$2,277.19			$2,277.19

Income

	Books Purchased .	$119.75	1939 May 1, Balance of Income	$151.85
1940 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	127.88	Interest . . .	95.78
		$247.63		$247.63

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Deposit— Mechanics Savings Bank . . .	$187.52	1939 May 1,	Amount of Income	$182.96
			Interest . . .	4.56
	$187.52			$187.52

GEORGE E. HOADLEY FUND

This fund was established by the will of George Edward Hoadley, of West Hartford, Connecticut, who died Nov. 21, 1922, for the purchase of a site and the erection of a fireproof building for the Society. It was received by distribution of his estate on December 19, 1923. The accruing income is to be added to the principal of the fund. In 1935 the Building Fund was merged with this fund.

Principal

Land		$211,770.00	1939	
Bonds:			May 1, Am't of Fund .	$490,850.15
$25,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49 . .	$25,099.90	From Income .	11,910.90
25,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1954/51 . . .	25,606.26		
		$50,706.16		
Stocks:				
90 shs.	Aetna Insurance Co.	$3,240.00		
680 "	Aetna Life Insurance Co.	25,396.00		
55 "	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6,630.38		
27 "	Collins Co. . . .	3,060.00		
600 "	Conn. General Life Insurance Co. . .	20,300.00		
15 "	Conn. Light & Power Co., com. . .	806.25		
31 "	Conn. Power Co. .	974.85		
304 "	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co. . .	20,923.54		
453 "	Hartford Electric Light Co. . .	14,886.27		
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co. . . .	2,730.00		
260 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co. .	7,280.00		
670 "	National Fire Insurance Co. . . .	24,520.51		
600 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00		
10 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co. . .	2,450.00		
63 "	Tampa Electric Co., com.	1,731.91		
200 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	73,500.00		
		$230,429.71		
Deposits:				
	Dime Savings Bank . .	$617.93		
	Mechanics Savings Bank .	209.75		
	Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09		
		$2,256.77		
	Uninvested	$7,598.41		
		$502,761.05		$502,761.05

Income

Fee	$611.67	Dividends	$11,308.82
Real Estate Expenses	252.50	Interest	1,482.99
Amortization of Bonds	16.74		
To Principal	11,910.90		
	$12,791.81		$12,791.81

JAMES B. HOSMER FUND

James B. Hosmer, a member and a former president of the Society, who died Sept. 25, 1878, left an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 to the Society. The income from the fund has been designated to general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$213.00	Interest	$213.00

NEWMAN HUNGERFORD FUND

Established in March, 1928, by a legacy of $2,000 from the estate of Newman Hungerford of Harwinton, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 8, 1927. The income only is to be used for the care and increase of the collection of coins bequeathed to the Society by Mr. Hungerford.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$2,000.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$2,000.00

Income

1939 May 1, Overdraft	$11.68	Interest	$85.20
Coins Purchased	70.00		
1940 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	3.52		
	$85.20		$85.20

WILLIAM W. KNIGHT FUND

Established May, 1934, by a bequest of $8,000 from Dr. William Ward Knight of Hartford, a former member, who died December 4, 1923. The will provides that this legacy be used for the "general uses and purposes" of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$8,000.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$8,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$340.80	Interest	$340.80

HORACE E. MATHER FUND

Received December, 1933, as a bequest under the will of Lucy O. Mather of Hartford, the sum of $5,000 which was given to be held as a fund in memory of her father, Horace E. Mather, a former member, who died March 13, 1909, the income to be used for the purchase of genealogies of families settled in America before the year 1700, including English works bearing on such families, printed parish registers of England and church and town records of New England.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

1940 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$440.91	1939 May 1, Balance of Income	$455.85
Books Purchased	250.44	Interest	213.00
		Sale of Books	22.50
	$691.35		$691.35

JONATHAN FLYNT MORRIS FUND

Established in 1911 through the gift by the daughters of Mr. Jonathan Flynt Morris, a former member and for many years treasurer, who died January 30, 1899, of copies of the "Morris Register", compiled by him. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only of which is available for the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$93.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$93.00
	$93.00		$93.00

Income

1940 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$3.88	1939 May 1, Balance of Income	$6.17
Books Purchased	6.25	Interest	3.96
	$10.13		$10.13

EDWARD B. PECK FUND

Established May, 1929 by an unrestricted legacy of $25,000 from the estate of Edward B. Peck of Hartford, a former member, who died October 29, 1928. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$32,500.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$32,500.00

Income

To General Expenses	$1,384.49	Interest	$1,384.49

PERMANENT GENERAL FUND

This fund was established by a gift to the Society in 1906 to which additions have since been made. The income only is available for whatever purpose the Society sees fit.

Principal

Deposit— Mechanics Savings Bank	$1,014.86	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$1,014.86

Income

1940 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$28.09	1939 May 1, Balance of Income	$27.23
Books Purchased	24.50	Interest	25.36
	$52.59		$52.59

PUBLICATION FUND

This fund was established by a legacy of $1,000 received in 1855 from the estate of Thomas Day, a former member and president, who died March 1, 1855. To this have been added a legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Daniel Goodwin in 1880; receipts from the sale of books presented by several members of the Society; the fees received for life memberships and admission fees, and a number of small special contributions.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$9,213.95	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund	$9,120.95
		Admission Fees	66.00
		Sale of Books	27.00
	$9,213.95		$9,213.95

Income

Printing . .	$262.15	Sale of Books .	$37.60
To General Fund . (Bulletin Acc't)	164.55	Interest . . .	389.10
	$426.70		$426.70

PUBLICATION FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959 . .	$730.00	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$3,076.26
		From Income .	118.46
Deposit—Mechanics Savings Bank . .	2,464.72		
	$3,194.72		$3,194.72

Income

To Surplus Income Principal Account . .	$118.46	Interest . . .	$118.46

WILLIAM H. PUTNAM FUND

Established in October, 1931, through the gift by Mr. William H. Putnam of Hartford, of copies of "The Two Putnams" to be sold for the benefit of the Society. The income only is to be used for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$202.07	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$202.07
	$202.07		$202.07

Income

To General Expenses . .	$8.60	Interest . . .	$8.60

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND

This "perpetual fund, the avails of which (are) to be applied to the preservation, increase and improvement of the library," inventoried at $4,643.52, was created in 1856 by a residuary clause in the will of Rev. Thomas Robbins, a former member, librarian and corresponding secretary, who died September 13, 1856.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$6,553.53	1939 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$6,553.53

Income

1940			1939		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$83.34	May 1,	Balance of Income	$108.35
	Books Purchased .	304.18		Interest . . .	279.17
		$387.52			$387.52

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

	Deposit—		1939		
	Farmington Savings Bank . .	$179.91	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$175.57
				Interest . . .	4.34
		$179.91			$179.91

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $3,000 from the estate of Dr. Gurdon W. Russell of Hartford, a former life member, who died February 3, 1909, and by the further receipt later in the same year of a legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mrs. Mary I. B. Russell, widow of Dr. Russell. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

	Consolidated		1939		
	Investments .	$8,000.00	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$8,000.00
		$8,000.00			$8,000.00

Income

	To General				
	Expenses . .	$340.80		Interest . . .	$340.80
		$340.80			$340.80

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL BOOK FUND

Established in 1910 by the gift of copies of "Descendants of John Russell" from Mrs. Gurdon W. Russell. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income of which only is available for the purchase of historical and genealogical works for the library.

Principal

	Consolidated		1939		
	Investments .	$222.67	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$222.67

Income

1940			1939		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$36.96	May 1,	Balance of Income	$43.88
	Books Purchased .	16.40		Interest . . .	9.48
		$53.36			$53.36

JAMES SHEPARD FUND

Established in June, 1929, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,727.50 from the estate of James Shepard of New Britain, Connecticut, a former member, who died February 15, 1926. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,262.57	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,207.48
			Sale of Books	3.00
			From Income	52.09
	$1,262.57			$1,262.57

Income

To Principal Acc't	$52.09	Interest	$52.09
	$52.09		$52.09

EDWIN SIMONS FUND

Established December, 1915, by an unrestricted legacy of $5,286.05 from the estate of Edwin Simons of Hartford. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,400.00	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$5,400.00
	$5,400.00			$5,400.00

Income

To General Expenses	$230.04	Interest	$230.04
	$230.04		$230.04

JANE T. SMITH FUND

Established August, 1930, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Mrs. Jane T. Smith of Hartford, a former life member, who died August 22, 1929. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,000.00	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$42.60	Interest	$42.60

ELLEN BATTELL STOECKEL FUND

Established in 1939 by an unrestricted legacy of $10,000 from the estate of Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel of Norfolk, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 5, 1939. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$10,000.00	1939 Nov. 6,	Amount of Fund	$10,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$222.94	Interest	$222.94

MARY K. TALCOTT FUND

Established in 1920 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mary K. Talcott of Hartford, a former member, who died November 17, 1917. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$6,100.00	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$6,100.00

Income

To General Expenses	$259.86	Interest	$259.86

EDWIN STANLEY WELLES FUND

Established in 1924 through the gift by Mr. Welles of copies of his "Some Notes on Wampum" and the later gift of "Revolutionary War Letters of Captain Roger Welles" and "Beginnings of Fruit Culture in Connecticut." Proceeds from the sale of these publications together with interest on the same are to be allowed to accumulate until they amount to $300, which is established as the principal of the fund. The income of the fund is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$105.17	1939 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$96.08
			Sale of Books	5.00
			From Income	4.09
	$105.17			$105.17

Income

To Principal	$4.09	Interest	$4.09

Hartford, Connecticut, May 1, 1940.

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, *Treasurer.*

The foregoing account and securities listed therein have been examined by me and found correct.

CHARLES S. BISSELL, *Auditor.*

The Connecticut Historical Society was incorporated in May, 1825.

The Society owns one of the best collections of genealogies in this country, and also an excellent library composed of printed records, histories, and other works of reference. It also owns a large and valuable collection of manuscripts.

Much remains to be done. The most pressing needs are for general endowment the income from which will support a building of our own which will afford adequate housing facilities, and funds to be used for the purchase of books and publication purposes.

FORMS OF BEQUEST

(GENERAL)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars to be used at the discretion of said corporation.

(SPECIFIC)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars, in trust, the income from which to be used for the purposes following, that is to say: (Here specify in detail the purposes.)

Resolution

On the Resignation of Mr. Albert Carlos Bates, M.A., as Librarian of the Connecticut Historical Society.

After serving the Connecticut Historical Society as its Librarian and Recording Secretary for almost a half century, Mr. Albert Carlos Bates, M.A., has to-day presented his resignation as Librarian.

Mr. Bates became a member of this society fifty-one years ago, July 2, 1889 and to-day is its senior member in point of continuous service. He was appointed Librarian, January, 1893, and Recording Secretary in 1896.

Throughout the half century of his association with us, he has labored unceasingly and with rare devotion and ability to develop and sustain the varied departmental activities of this society, until today, it stands in the forefront among the Historical Societies of the country, and its collections of original manuscripts and documents and of printed books, pertaining to Connecticut and New England history and genealogy, acquired in large part under Mr. Bates's guidance, are recognized as indispensable source material, wherever historical and genealogical research is undertaken.

As one of the duties devolving upon our Librarian, Mr. Bates has edited and caused to be published in our behalf, a series of volumes drawn from the archives of this society, by far too numerous to mention here, but nevertheless of outstanding importance in their class.

Looking back over the long term of Mr. Bates's activities among us we cannot but see an unusual consistency in the framework of his mind and character from the first, mainly due to a well-directed and very vigorous individual will.

In recognition of his scholarship and of his contributions to historical and genealogical knowledge, Trinity College not long since conferred upon him the degree of Master of Arts, an

honor well deserved and of which his fellow members and friends everywhere are justly proud.

Now therefore be it Voted: That the Connecticut Historical Society accept the resignation of Mr. Bates, realizing that it is tendered only after due deliberation on his part, and that, dating from this, the 23rd., day of May, 1940, he be and hereby is appointed Librarian Emeritus of the Connecticut Historical Society for the term of his natural life, with compensation in amount to be determined by the Society's Standing Committee.

And be it further Voted: That in the acceptance of Mr. Bates's resignation, the members of this society desire to express not only their high appreciation of his long and devoted service, but the warm sentiment of regard and attachment which he has so universally inspired during the half century of his association with us.

HENRY A. CASTLE, *Chairman*
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Judges of the Supreme Court of Errors.

Maltbie, William M., Granby, Aug. 1, 1917.*
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Judges of the Superior Court.

Booth, John Richards, Danbury, May 1, 1924.
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Foster, Carl, Bridgeport, Oct. 23, 1927.
McEvoy, Frank P., Waterbury, June 5, 1930.
Inglis, Ernest A., Middletown, Dec. 1, 1930.
O'Sullivan, Patrick B., Derby, May 26, 1931.
Cornell, John A., Bridgeport, Jan. 8, 1932.
Wynne, Kenneth, New Haven, Jan. 16, 1936.
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Adams, Rev. Arthur, Hartford, April 4, 1909.
Ahern, Katharine Cecelia, Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Alcorn, Howard Wells, Suffield, Dec. 1, 1931.
Alcorn, Hugh M., Suffield, April 4, 1911.
Aldridge, Frank, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1939.
Allen, Mrs. Carrie White, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1902.
Allen, Devere, Wilton, May 19, 1936.
Allen, Mrs. Marie Hollister, Wilton, May 4, 1937.
Allen, Mrs. Minnie A. W., Winsted, June 18, 1936.
Allis, Lucy, Wallingford, May 19, 1936.
Alvord, John Watson, Winter Park, Fla., Dec. 2, 1913.
Alvord, Muriel, West Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Alvord, Samuel Morgan, Bolton, April 7, 1903.
Anderson, George Pomeroy, Boston, Mass., Nov. 14, 1922.
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Archibald, Rev. Warren S., Hartford, May 22, 1923.
Arms, Frank Thornton, New London, Jan. 4, 1921.
Armstrong, Horatio H., Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Arnold, Norman Kiefer, Hanover, N. H., May 21, 1935.
Ashe, Mrs. Margaret Kelley, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Avery, Eliza Warren, Norwich, Jan. 2, 1940.
Avery, Irving James, Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Ayres, Harral, Sparta, N. J., Feb. 4, 1936.
Bailey, William Bacon, West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Baldwin, Lyttleton Mathers, West Hartford, May 7, 1940.
Ball, Thomas Raymond, Old Lyme, March 1, 1927.
Ballou, Robert Oleson, Cold Spring, N. Y., May 7, 1940.
Barber, Kenneth Warham, Windsor, March 1, 1927.
Barnard, Ford B., Forest Hills, N. Y., May 4, 1937.
Barnes, Arthur Seth, Bristol, May 4, 1937.
Barney, Austin D., Farmington, March 6, 1934.
Barron, Mary Grey, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Barrows, Mrs. Josephine Brown, New Britain, Feb. 4, 1936.
Bartlett, Mrs. Elizabeth French, Bryantville, Mass., Nov. 2, 1937.
Bartlett, Raymond Griswold, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1926.
Bates, Albert Carlos, Hartford, July 2, 1889.
Bates, Mrs. Alice Morgan Crocker, Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Beach, Goodwin Batterson, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Beach, Mary Elizabeth, West Hartford, Oct. 1, 1895.

Beach, Mrs. Mary M., West Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Belding, Frederick N., Rockville, Jan. 3, 1922.
Belknap, Leverett, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1892.
Benn, Mrs. Bertha Lee Hempstead, Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Beutel, Mrs. L. Corrie Austin, Los Angeles, Cal., April 5, 1938.
Bidwell, Frederick Steele, Windsor Locks, April 5, 1932.
Biggs, Rev. Charles Lewis, Guilford, March 6, 1934.
Bingham, Hiram, Salem, Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Mrs. Almira A., Hartford, Nov. 1, 1921.
Bissell, Andrew J., Guilford, Dec. 1, 1936.
Bissell, Charles Spencer, Suffield, Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Richard Mervin, Farmington, Jan. 5, 1909.
Blakely, Rev. Quincy, West Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Bliss, Charles L., Middletown, Dec. 6, 1932.
Bliss, Frederic Spencer, Hartford, Dec. 5, 1905.
Bliss, Harry A., East Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 4, 1930.
Blodgett, William H., Winsted, March 1, 1921.
Boardman, Cedric R., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Boyd, Edward Steele, Woodbury, Feb. 5, 1901.
Boyd, Janice, West Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bradin, John Hendee, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Brainard, Homer Worthington, Amherst, Mass., Nov. 13, 1894.
Brainard, Horace B., Thompsonville, Dec. 4, 1934.
Brainard, Morgan Bulkeley, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brainard, Newton Case, West Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brewster, James, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Brigham, Clement H., Granby, Nov. 6, 1923.
Brinley, Katharine, Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, 1934.
Broadhurst, Leon P., Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Brodhead, William H., Hartford, April 4, 1933.
Brooks, John Lee, Windsor, Nov. 2, 1937.
Brooks, John Norton, Torrington, Dec. 7, 1920.
Broughton, Mrs. Bessie Clarke, West Hartford, Feb. 5, 1935.
Browne, Ann Putnam, Washington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Brush, Mrs. Julia E. Clarke, Danbury, Dec. 5, 1922.
Bryant, George Clark, Ansonia, Jan. 4, 1921.
Buck, John Halsey, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1898.
Buckley, William Edward, Manchester Green, Dec. 5, 1933.
Buel, Mrs. Elizabeth Cynthia Barney, Litchfield, Nov. 3, 1931.
Buell, Irwin Alfred, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Bulkeley, Mrs. Virginia Grover, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bulkley, George Edward, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Burnham, Mrs. Elizabeth Holland, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Burpee, Charles W., Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Burr, Mrs. Ada Harding, New Britain, May 7, 1935.
Burr, Harris L., West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Burr, Louis St. Clair, South Windsor, Feb. 13, 1934.
Burr, Nelson R., West Hartford, May 21, 1935.

Burr, Mrs. Sarah Amanda Wilcox, Norfolk, May 5, 1914.
Burt, Harold S., Wethersfield, Dec. 3, 1935.
Butler, Mrs. Eva L., Groton, Jan. 5, 1937.
Camp, John Spencer, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Campbell, Mrs. Ethel A., Meriden, May 2, 1939.
Campbell, Mrs. Oliver Allen, East Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1935.
Carrier, Constance Virginia, New Britain, March 6, 1940.
Case, Howard Tyler, Wellesley, Mass., Dec. 7, 1937.
Case, James Royal, Danbury, March 6, 1923.
Case, Raymond Walter, Hartford, May 5, 1936.
Case, Willis Buell, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Castle, Henry Allen, Plainville, Feb. 6, 1894.
Castle, Mrs. Mary C. Hadsell, Plainville, Nov. 2, 1937.
Caulfield, Ernest, West Hartford, May 24, 1932.
Chapin, Mrs. Lottie M., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chapin, Ralph W., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chase, Mrs. Ada Richards, Norwich, March 6, 1934.
Chase, Irving Hall, Waterbury, Dec. 7, 1920.
Cheney, Howell, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1910.
Cheney, Louis Richmond, Hartford, Nov. 5, 1895.
Child, Alfred Thurston, Jr., Christiansted St. Croix, V. I., Dec. 6, 1932.
Childs, Mrs. Grace Damon Smith, Hartford, Feb. 2, 1926.
Clapp, Clarence B., West Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Clark, Daniel Sanders, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, Jan. 2, 1940.
Clark, Mrs. Delphina Hammer, Suffield, Jan. 2, 1940.
Clark, Mrs. Julia Gilman, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1921.
Clarke, Mrs. Alice Granger, Pittsfield, Mass., May 26, 1931.
Cohen, George Harry, Hartford, March 7, 1922.
Cole, Richard H., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Coleman, Roy V., Westport, Jan. 4, 1938.
Collamore, H. Bacon, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Collens, Arthur Morris, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Collins, Martha Knowles, Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Conklin, William P., Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Conning, Mrs. Carolyn D., West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1931.
Cook, Charles C., West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Cooley, Charles Parsons, West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Cooper, Elisha Hilliard, New Britain, Aug. 12, 1936.
Cooper, Ford Hilliard, New Britain, Dec. 4, 1934.
Corbin, Mrs. Fannie Harrison, New Haven, Nov. 4, 1902.
Corson, William R. C., Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Costikyan, Rev. Jack, Union, Jan. 2, 1940.
Coudray, Robert D., Wethersfield, May 5, 1936.
Cragin, Donald Brett, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Cramer, Kenneth Frank, Wethersfield, Dec. 5, 1933.
Crane, Alexander, Cheshire, March 6, 1940.
Crofut, Mrs. Charlotte Phelps, Simsbury, March 6, 1906.
Crofut, Florence S. Marcy, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.

Crosby, Albert H., Hartford, May 7, 1940.
Cruikshank, Rosamond, Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Cummings, Alice Twiss, Hartford, May 27, 1924.
Cutler, Ralph D., West Hartford, April 1, 1924.
Danielson, Rosamond, Putnam, March 1, 1927.
Darling, Robert, Simsbury, Dec. 6, 1927.
Davis, John Moore Kelso, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Davis, Samuel Allan, Danbury, March 1, 1938.
Davis, Solon P., Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Day, Arthur Pomeroy, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1919.
Day, Edward Marvin, Hartford, Dec. 1, 1903.
Day, Katharine Seymour, Hartford, March 1, 1927.
Decherd, Constant Kirtland, Middletown, May 26, 1931.
de Forest, Louis Effingham, New York, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1930.
Dickinson, Addie M., Torrington, Feb. 13, 1934.
Dickinson, Walter Frederick, Wheatley, N. Y., May 24, 1932.
Dimon, Earle E., Farmington, Jan. 6, 1920.
Dommerich, Louis W., Greenwich, Nov. 6, 1923.
Dorweiler, Paul, Hartford, April 5, 1932.
Dow, Everett Duane, Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Doyle, Ellen M., Litchfield, June 18, 1936.
Driggs, Alfred Waldo, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Duncan, Winthrop Hillyer, Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 11, 1924.
Dunham, Donald A., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Durrell, Harold Clarke, Kennebunkport, Me., March 7, 1939.
Dutcher, George Matthew, Middletown, Nov. 1, 1904.
Eddy, Bessie M., West Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Eddy, Samuel A., Canaan, Dec. 4, 1906.
Edwards, George Holmes, Bridgeport, Nov. 1, 1938.
Edwards, Mary Welles, Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Ellsworth, Henry E., Simsbury, March 1, 1932.
Elmer, Mrs. Ethel Hills, West Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Elston, James Strode, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1921.
Enders, John Ostrom, West Hartford, March 1, 1921.
English, Rev. James Fairfield, West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Ensign, Joseph Ralph, Simsbury, Oct. 1, 1895.
Erving, Henry Wood, West Hartford, Dec. 7, 1920.
Fancher, William H., Danbury, Dec. 1, 1931.
Farrell, John Thomas, New London, March 2, 1937.
Fenn, Mrs. Mildred Q., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ferguson, Eleanor, West Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Field, E. Bronson, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Field, Mrs. Katharine K., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Fisher, Samuel H., Litchfield, Oct. 4, 1932.
Fiske, Mrs. Carrie Spaulding, Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Forward, John Francis, Hartford, May 28, 1907.
Foster, Emma Phelps, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Francis, Mary, Hartford, May 1, 1923.

Freeman, Harrison Barber, Hartford, May 28, 1907.
French, Thomas Edward, Rocky Hill, Nov. 12, 1935.
Fuller, Alfred C., West Hartford, Feb. 7, 1933.
Fyler, Anson Priest, Simsbury, Nov. 1, 1921.
Galpin, Ruth, Berlin, May 28, 1907.
Gay, Florence Thomson, Farmington, April 5, 1921.
Geer, E. Selden, Jr., Hartford, Feb. 2, 1932.
Giddings, Eugene Alden, West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Gilson, Mrs. Ella Kittredge, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Glazier, Charles Mather, West Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Glazier, Mrs. Mary Skinner Chapin, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Glazier, Robert Cromer, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Goodspeed, Charles E., Boston, Mass., May 24, 1932.
Goodwin, Charles A., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Goodwin, Charles L., Hartford, April 2, 1907.
Goodwin, Mrs. Frances Whittlesey, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Goodwin, Francis, 2d, Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Goodwin, James Lippincott, Hartford, Jan. 8, 1918.
Goodwin, William B., Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Gorton, Joseph Chapman, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Greenaway, James Emerson, Worcester, Mass., May 5, 1936.
Greenaway, Mrs. Mary Helen Kidder, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 3, 1931.
Gregory, Mrs. Elinor Kennard, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Griswold, Glenn E., Branford, March 6, 1940.
Groce, George Cuthbert, Jr., New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
Hale, Edith Stiles, Hartford, May 18, 1937.
Hammond, Mrs. Jennie E. Seymour, West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Hampton, Vernon Boyce, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Harlow, Thompson Ritner, Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Harris, Arthur Holcomb, New Britain, April 3, 1934.
Hart, Albert Bushnell, Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 7, 1933.
Hart, George P., New Britain, Nov. 14, 1922.
Harte, Charles Rufus, New Haven, Nov. 7, 1933.
Harwood, Benjamin Eastman, Chester, Nov. 14, 1922.
Hayden, Mrs. Caroline Dayton, Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 3, 1935.
Haynes, Williams, North Stonington, Jan. 7, 1936.
Hazen, Maynard Thompson, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Heartman, Charles F., Hattiesburg, Miss., May 22, 1923.
Hemenway, Charles C., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Hewes, Thomas, Farmington, Oct. 4, 1932.
Hine, Harold Morton, Hartford, Dec. 5, 1933.
Holcombe, Harold G., Hartford, Nov. 14, 1916.
Holcombe, John Marshall, Jr., Farmington, Nov. 3, 1925.
Holman, Mrs. Mary Lovering, Watertown, Mass., March 1, 1927.
Holt, Charles Eleazer, West Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Holt, Fred Park, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Hooker, Joseph K., Hartford, May 3, 1932.
Hooker, Roland Mather, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1933.

Hoopes, Penrose Robinson, Germantown, Pa., Oct. 1, 1929.
Hoskins, Mrs. Alice, East Windsor Hill, May 23, 1933.
Howard, James Leland, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Hoxie, Frances Alida, Manchester, March 6, 1940.
Hubbard, G. Evans, Ridgefield, Feb. 2, 1937.
Hubbard, Leverett Marsden, Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Hulbert, Percy Edward, Manchester, Dec. 6, 1927.
Hunt, George L., Boston, Mass., Oct. 4, 1932.
Huntington, Robert Watkinson, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Huntington, Samuel G., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Hurlburt, Mrs. Mabel Spencer, Farmington, May 24, 1932.
Hyde, Alvan Waldo, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Ingalls, Mrs. Emily P., Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ingraham, Dudley Seymour, Bristol, Aug. 12, 1936.
Ingraham, Edward, Bristol, June 18, 1936.
Isham, Norman Morrison, Wickford, R. I., Nov. 13, 1906.
Jackson, Stuart W., Montclair, N. J., March 5, 1935.
Jacobs, Ward S., Hartford, Nov. 5, 1936.
Jacobus, Donald Lines, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jarvis, H. Gildersleeve, West Hartford, March 6, 1923.
Jillson, Myrtle M., Waterbury, March 2, 1937.
Johnson, Mrs. Adeline Bourne Bly, Franklin Grove, Ill., May 7, 1940.
Johnson, Crompton T., West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Johnson, Rev. Elmer Ellsworth Schultz, Hereford, Pa., April 5, 1927.
Johnston, Russell Zieball, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Jones, Edward P., Winsted, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jones, Matt Bushnell, Newton Centre, Mass., Dec. 6, 1932.
Jones, Richard Frederick Jr., West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Joslyn, Mrs. Minnie L., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Judd, William Hart, New Britain, March 7, 1922.
Judson, Florence A., Wilson, May 29, 1934.
Judson, Helen Louise, Wilson, May 25, 1915.
Keith, Elmer Davenport, Clintonville, Feb. 2, 1937.
Kellogg, Charles Poole, Waterbury, May 3, 1921.
Kent, Lillian L., Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Keogh, Andrew, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Keyes, Anna Mabel, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Kilbourne, Frederick Wilkinson, Meriden, Nov. 12, 1935.
Kimball, Mrs. Mary Chase, Waterbury, April 4, 1922.
King, Flora M., Somersville, Feb. 4, 1936.
Klinger, Clara Maria, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Kuenhold, Charles F., West Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Lacy, Norbert B., Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Laird, John Melvin, West Hartford, Nov. 4, 1913.
Lane, Mrs. Edith M., West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Lane, Mrs. Elizabeth Selden, Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 9, 1926.
Lane, Wolcott G., New York, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1923.
Leach, May Atherton, Philadelphia, Pa., March 7, 1911.

Leary, James C., Winnetka, Ill., Nov. 1, 1938.
Lepper, Mrs. Agnes L., Harwinton, March 7, 1939.
Lewie, Mrs. Bertha Louise McKee, Manchester, Aug. 12, 1936.
Lewis, Mrs. Ella May Swint, Springfield, Mass., Oct. 1, 1929.
Lewis, Martha Stevens, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Lincoln, Allen B., West Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Linehan, Mary deLacy, Amherst, Mass., Feb. 5, 1901.
Linnell, Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Granby, March 7, 1939.
Linton, Almira Frink, Norwich, Nov. 2, 1937.
Loomis, Archie Harwood, New York, N. Y., March 7, 1893.
Ludlow, Samuel, Jr., West Hartford, May 23, 1922.
McAlpin, Milo Frederick, New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
McCook, Anson T., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Frances A., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Lucy Eleanor, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1931.
McGuire, Elisha W., Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1923.
McKay, Eppert Rudolf, Newtonville, Mass., Feb. 4, 1936.
MacNary, Alice B., West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Maltbie, William M., Granby, Dec. 6, 1927.
Mann, Conklin, New York, N. Y., Dec. 2, 1930.
Marshall, Mrs. Ethelwyn K., Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Marvel, Mrs. Abbie W., East Providence, R. I., March 2, 1937.
Martin, John Gilbert, West Hartford, April 7, 1931.
Mathewson, Albert McClellan, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Maxwell, Francis Taylor, Rockville, June 29, 1892.
Means, Philip Ainsworth, Pomfret, Jan. 4, 1938.
Mecorney, George E., Suffield, Nov. 12, 1935.
Merriman, Louis Porter, West Hartford, April 1, 1930.
Merritt, Joseph, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1936.
Merrow, George Woodbridge, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Middlebrook, Mrs. Margaret Dutting, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Miller, Helena F., Willimantic, Oct. 4, 1932.
Miller, Otto, Cleveland, Ohio, March 5, 1929.
Minor, Mrs. Anne Rogers, Litchfield, Nov. 3, 1931.
Mitchell, Asahel W., North Woodbury, May 2, 1905.
Mitchell, Edwin Valentine, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Moore, Ethelbert Allen, New Britain, May 2, 1905.
Morgan, John Hill, Farmington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Munger, Allyn Robins, New Orleans, La., Dec. 4, 1928.
Mylchreest, Mrs. Iva Harris, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
Newell, Robert Brewer, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Newton, Mrs. Lillian B., Storrs, April 3, 1934.
Newton, Mrs. Louise Gager, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1930.
Norton, Mrs. Jane Huntington, Cazenovia, N. Y., May 20, 1930.
Norton, Susan, Washington, D. C., March 6, 1934.
Nutting, Wallace, Framingham, Mass., March 6, 1923.
Ogilby, Rev. Remsen B., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Osborn, Mrs. Beatrice M., Poquonock, Nov. 2, 1937.

Osborn, William Evington, West Hartford, Nov. 3, 1925.
Packard, Ansel Alva, Portland, Nov. 7, 1933.
Page, Bertrand A., West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Page, Geneva Adelle, Waterbury, Dec. 4, 1934.
Parsons, John C., Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Peck, William Henry, Watch Hill, R. I., Feb. 3, 1931.
Penfield, Raymond Stanley, Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Perry, Mrs. Anna Morris, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Perry, Delbert K., Newington, May 19, 1936.
Persiani, Charles C., Plantsville, Oct. 3, 1905.
Peterson, Arthur Everett, New York, N. Y., March 6, 1928.
Phelps, Lewis W., Andover, April 5, 1921.
Phelps, Phelps E., Simsbury, May 19, 1936.
Phelps, William Lyon, New Haven, Nov. 9, 1920.
Pitkin, William Taft, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Plummer, William Henry, Forestville, Feb. 1, 1938.
Pond, E. LeRoy, Newington, Jan. 4, 1921.
Potter, Richard M. G., Hartford, March 4, 1924.
Prahl, Theodore, Wethersfield, Dec. 2, 1930.
Priest, Mrs. Ellen M. Langford, New Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Putnam, Mrs. Adabelle Canney Lyon, Hartford, Nov. 2, 1937.
Putnam, William Hutchinson, Hartford, April 7, 1914.
Race, Margaret Sarah, Hartford, May 23, 1939.
Rarey, Mrs. Helen Huntington Staples, West Hartford, April 5, 1938.
Raymond, Mrs. Hildred Sperry, Farmington, May 3, 1938.
Redfield, Henry Sherman, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Rhodes, James E., West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Robbins, William Alfred, Brooklyn, N. Y., March 7, 1922.
Roberts, Rev. George, West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Roberts, George McKenzie, New York, N. Y., Feb. 2, 1932.
Robinson, Lucius Franklin, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1890.
Rockwell, George Lounsbury, Ridgefield, March 6, 1934.
Rockwell, William Walker, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Rogers, Ernest E., New London, April 6, 1897.
Rogers, Ernest Gorton, New London, April 5, 1921.
Root, Mrs. Irene Howe Mix, Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Rose, Frank H., Glastonbury, April 6, 1937.
Rowley, Alfred Merriman, West Hartford, Dec. 5, 1922.
Rowley, Mrs. Katherine T., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Rudd, Malcolm Day, Lakeville, March 6, 1900.
Rungee, Mrs. Grace Thompson, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Russ, Charles Cooke, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1913.
Russell, William Charles, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Sage, Henry Eno, West Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Sattig, Gustave R., East River, May 28, 1907.
Sawyer, Mrs. Georgina Case, Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 1, 1931.
Schutz, Robert Hutchins, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Scofield, Ethel Lord, New Haven, Feb. 5, 1929.

Scranton, Mrs. Helen D. Love, New Haven, Jan. 6, 1931.
Seaverns, Charles Frederic Taft, Hartford, Dec. 7, 1920.
Secord, Ralph Van Cortland, East Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Seymour, Clarence W., West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Seymour, George Dudley, New Haven, Nov. 12, 1912.
Shaler, Olney Dickinson, Hartford, Aug. 12, 1936.
Shaw, Thomas Bond, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 4, 1930.
Shepard, Charles, 2d, Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1922.
Sheppard, Mrs. Caroleen Beckley, Hollywood, Cal., Nov. 1, 1921.
Sherman, Mrs. Alice Wolcott, Litchfield, Nov. 12, 1935.
Sherman, Clifton L., Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Simpson, Samuel, Tolland, Nov. 1, 1904.
Skeel, Mrs. Emily Ellsworth Ford, New York, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1921.
Slocum, Wellington R., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Smith, Allan K., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Smith, E. Terry, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Smith, Edna Geneva, Clinton, Jan. 5, 1926.
Smith, Mrs. Ella M. Hubbard, Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Smith, Harry Hilliard, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Smith, J. Eugene, Willimantic, April 5, 1938.
Snow, William Gamaliel, Meriden, Dec. 5, 1933.
Soifer, Max E., Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Soule, Rev. Sherrod, West Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Spaulding, Mrs. Mary Crowell Hill, Norfolk, May 19, 1936.
Spencer, Burt Kellogg, West Hartford, May 7, 1935.
Spencer, Samuel R., Suffield, Feb. 2, 1932.
Spiess, Mathias, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1921.
Squire, Robert A., Meriden, May 19, 1925.
Squire, William W. T., New Britain, April 4, 1933.
Stack, Joseph B., New York, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1939.
Stack, Morton, New York, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1939.
Standish, Jared Butler, Wethersfield, Feb. 5, 1929.
Starr, Elsie Gertrude, Hartford, April 4, 1905.
Stearns, Ada May, Hartford, May 1, 1928.
Steiner, Walter Ralph, Hartford, March 2, 1909.
Stevens, Chester Hermon, New York, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1928.
Stevenson, George S., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Stillman, Chauncey Devereux, New York, N. Y., April 1, 1930.
Stoeckel, Robbins Battell, Norfolk, March 1, 1921.
Stone, Malcolm N., West Englewood, N. J., April 5, 1938.
Stone, Wilbur Macey, East Orange, N. J., March 6, 1928.
Stow, Mrs. Jennie Cowles, Elkins Park, Pa., March 5, 1929.
Strickland, Charles G., Addison, March 4, 1924.
Strong, Charles Cyprian, Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 7, 1927.
Strong, James Meggat, West Hartford, May 1, 1923.
Sullivan, Charles Howard, Wethersfield, Nov. 7, 1939.
Sweet, Mrs. Henrietta Elliott, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Sweet, John H. T., Jr., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.

Swett, Mrs. Anna H. P. Bloomfield, March 5, 1929.
Symonds, Robert Hale, Warehouse Point, May 27, 1919.
Talcott, George S., West Hartford, April 5, 1927.
Taylor, Ada Louise, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Taylor, Charles Lincoln, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1926.
Taylor, Mrs. Florence F., Hartford, March 1, 1927.
Taylor, Harry Knous, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Taylor, Mary Curtin, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Terrill, Edna Clark, Manchester, March 2, 1937.
Terry, Alfred Howe, Fairfield, March 6, 1940.
Terry, Mrs. Marian D., Fairfield, March 6, 1940.
Thayer, Charles Snow, Hartford, May 5, 1925.
Thompson, Arthur Ripley, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1901.
Thompson, Edmund B., Windham, May 3, 1938.
Thomson, Mrs. Gertrude Hills, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Thrall, Charles Holmes, Havana, Cuba, Nov. 9, 1920.
Tilley, Winthrop, Mansfield Center, Nov. 12, 1935.
Tilney, Mrs. Josephine Toy Collins, New York, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1936.
Tomlinson, Carl Perkins, Montreal, Can., Oct. 4, 1932.
Tomlinson, Mrs. Eleanor Parsons, Montclair, N. J., Nov. 12, 1935.
Toppan, Mrs. Eliza Willcox, Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5, 1933.
Towne, George, Stafford Springs, May 21, 1935.
Tripp, Alfred N., North Haven, Jan. 3, 1939.
Trumbull, Annie Eliot, Hartford, May 2, 1939.
Trumbull, John H., Plainville, May 26, 1931.
Tuller, Mabel Champion, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1902.
Tuller, Marshall J., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Turner, Albert Milford, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Tuttle, Alice Gertrude, Hartford, March 7, 1916.
Tyler, Rollin Usher, Tylerville, Nov. 4, 1902.
Upson, Mrs. Edith M., Southington, March 6, 1934.
Utley, George Burwell, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 11, 1924.
Vail, Walter E., Litchfield, Dec. 7, 1915.
Voorhees, Rev. J. Spencer, Maplewood, N. J., Oct. 4, 1932.
Wadhams, John M., Goshen, May 3, 1921.
Walcott, Frederic C., Norfolk, Jan. 3, 1929.
Warner, Donald Judson, Salisbury, Jan. 4, 1921.
Warner, James Alfred, West Simsbury, Nov. 11, 1924.
Warnock, Mrs. Una Winchester, Marlboro, Vt., March 6, 1940.
Warren, Mrs. Mildred M. Davenport, New Britain, March 7, 1939.
Washburn, Albert L., Hartford, March 6, 1906.
Waterman, Edgar Francis, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1903.
Waterman, Francis E., Hartford, Feb. 7, 1911.
Waterman, Mrs. Helen G., Hartford, May 29, 1934.
Waugh, Albert Edmund, Storrs, Nov. 1, 1938.
Way, John Latimer, West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Weatherbee, Harriet, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Weeks, Raymond, Manakin, Va., Nov. 5, 1936.

Welles, Edwin Stanley, Newington, Nov. 5, 1895.
Welles, Lemuel Aikin, Ridgefield, April 1, 1913.
Welles, Martin, Hartford, April 4, 1911.
Westbrook, Stillman Foote, Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Wettereau, James O., Manhasset, N. Y., May 23, 1933.
Whaples, Heywood H., Farmington, May 4, 1926.
Wheelock, Lawrence W., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
White, Alain C., Litchfield, Nov. 9, 1920.
White George Worthington, West Hartford, April 6, 1937.
Whittelsey, Charles Barney, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Whittemore, Gertrude Buckingham, Naugatuck, March 7, 1922.
Whittles, Lee Jay, Glastonbury, Feb. 2, 1937.
Wickham, Clarence Horace, Manchester, Nov. 4, 1913.
Wilcox, Frank L., Berlin, Nov. 9, 1920.
Wiley, James Allen, West Hartford, April 3, 1928.
Willard, Arthur C., Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Willard, Howard Arnold, Wethersfield, April 4, 1939.
Williams, George G., Farmington, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Harry Roberts, Hartford, April 4, 1916.
Williams, Mrs. Jessie Scott Dike, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Staunton, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Willson, Everett C., West Hartford, Jan. 8, 1924.
Wilson, Albion Benjamin, Hartford, March 6, 1917.
Wilson, Mrs. Grace Hall, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Winslow, Fred G., West Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Winter, Alpheus, Bridgeport, May 26, 1931.
Wise, Isidore, Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Wolfe, Mrs. Katharine Slayback, West Hartford, May 3, 1927.
Wood, Herbert Russell, Hartford, May 2, 1911.
Woodward, Charles Guilford, Hartford, May 27, 1903.
Wunder, Emma Elizabeth, Wethersfield, Dec. 1, 1925.
Wurts, John S., Germantown, Pa., Nov. 5, 1936.
Wyckoff, Rev. Charles S., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Zacher, Louis Edmund, West Hartford, May 27, 1924.

Honorary Members.

Hall, Hubert, F.S.A., Litt.Dr., London, Eng., Oct. 2, 1900.
Borgeaud, Charles, Ph.D., LL.D., Geneva, Switzerland, Nov. 5, 1929.
Dawes, Charles Gates, LL.B., Evanston, Ill., Oct. 7, 1930.

Corresponding Members.

Andrews, Charles McLean, Ph.D., L.H.D., New Haven, Jan. 5, 1897.*
Hills, Alfred, M.A., Bocking End, Braintree, Essex, Eng., Oct. 6, 1931.

* Also an active member.

Donations.

Names	Residences	Volumes	Pamphlets	Misc.
Academy Book Shop, - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Adams, Arthur, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	2	2	—
American Antiquarian Society, -	Worcester, Mass., -	3	4	—
American Historical Association, -	Washington, D. C., -	3	—	—
American Philosophical Society, -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	4	2	—
American Red Cross, - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
American Youth Commission, - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Anderson, W. P., - - - - - -	Cincinnati, Ohio, -	2	—	—
Andrews, George O., - - - - -	Rocky Hill, Conn., -	—	1	—
Archer, W. Harry, - - - - - -	Pittsburgh, Pa., -	—	3	—
Armour, Alexander W., - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Armour Institute of Technology, -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Association of American Railroads, -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Asylum Hill Congregational Church,	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Bailey, Alice, - - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	—	2
Bailey, Mrs. Dorothy W., - - -	Watertown, Conn., -	—	1	—
Ballou, Robert O., - - - - - -	Cold Spring, N. Y., -	2	—	—
Bardin, James Newlan, - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Bates, Albert C., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	4	2	1
Bates, Mrs. Albert C., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Beardsley, William A., - - - -	New Haven, Conn., -	20	1	—
Belknap, Leverett, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Bentley School, - - - - - -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	1	—
Bibliographical Society of America,	Portland, Me., - -	—	1	—
Bissell, Mrs. Almira A., - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Boston Auditing Department, - -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
Botsford, Charles P., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	24	—	—
Botsford, Herbert, - - - - - -	Williamstown, Mass.,	1	—	—
Brainard, Morgan B., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	2
Brainard, Newton C., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	—	19
Brainerd, Eveline W., - - - - -	Haddam, Conn., -	—	—	3
Buck, Winthrop, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	1
Buhl Foundation, - - - - - -	Pittsburgh, Pa., -	2	—	—
Burkhardt, Francis E., - - - -	Hollywood, Calif., -	1	3	—
Burr, Nelson R., - - - - - -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	—	—	1
Canada Department of Mines, - -	Ottawa, Canada, -	1	7	5
Charles E. Tuttle Co., - - - - -	Rutland, Vt., - -	1	—	—
Chase, Mrs. Ada R., - - - - -	Norwich, Conn., -	—	4	6
Chicago Historical Society, - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	1	—	—
Children's Museum, - - - - -	Jamaica Plain, Mass.,	—	1	—
China Information Committee, - -	Chungking, China, -	—	1	—
Cohan, George H., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Columbia University, - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	3	2	—
Conference of Historical Societies, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Conn. Academy of Fine Arts, - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Conn. Society of Civil Engineers, -	New Haven, Conn., -	1	—	—
Connecticut, State of, - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	14	1	17
Country Life Press Corp., - - -	Garden City, N. Y.,	1	—	—

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Crofut, Florence S. Marcy,	Hartford, Conn.,	4	—	—
Cummings, Alice T.,	Hartford, Conn.,	5	2	—
Delaware Historical Society,	Wilmington, Del.,	2	11	—
Dept. of Public Instruction,	Harrisburg, Pa.,	—	1	—
Department of State,	Washington, D. C.,	2	—	—
Detroit Library Commission,	Detroit, Mich.,	—	1	—
Develin, J. C.,	Lynchburg, Va.,	1	—	—
Donaghey, Mrs. George W.,	Little Rock, Ark.,	1	—	—
Dresser, Louisa,	Worcester, Mass.,	—	1	—
DuPont de Nemours & Co.,	Wilmington, Del.,	—	1	—
Eddy, Sarah S.,	Hartford, Conn.,	3	—	—
Eliot, W. G., Jr.,	Portland, Ore.,	1	—	—
Embajada de Cuba,	Washington, D. C.,	—	1	—
Essex Institute,	Salem, Mass.,	1	1	—
Evanston Historical Society,	Evanston, Ill.,	—	—	3
Fairfield Historical Society,	Fairfield, Conn.,	—	—	1
Farish, W. S.,	New York, N. Y.,	—	1	—
Field, Marshall, Estate of,	Chicago, Ill.,	—	1	—
Fitch, Edward,	Clinton, N. Y.,	1	—	—
Florida Historical Society,	Tallahassee, Fla.,	1	1	—
Fox, Howard,	New York, N. Y.,	—	1	—
Francis, Mary,	Hartford, Conn.,	28	12	108
Galt, Truman F.,	Shenandoah, Iowa,	1	—	—
General Education Board,	New York, N. Y.,	1	—	—
Gerrish, Henry E.,	Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Goodman, Mary A.,	Hartford, Conn.,	—	—	2
Goodwin, Mrs. James J., Estate of,	Hartford, Conn.,	386	61	69
Goodwin, William B.,	Hartford, Conn.,	6	—	—
Grabel, Frederick,	Stafford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Grosvenor Library,	Buffalo, N. Y.,	—	2	—
Gutstein, Rabbi Morris A.,	Newport, R. I.,	1	—	—
Harrington, Karl P.,	Middletown, Conn.,	1	—	—
Hartford Hospital,	Hartford, Conn.,	1	1	—
Hartford Seminary Foundation,	Hartford, Conn.,	—	1	—
Haverford College,	Haverford, Pa.,	1	—	—
Hayes Memorial Library,	Fremont, Ohio,	—	1	—
Henry E. Huntington Library,	San Marino, Calif.,	—	1	—
Hill, Mrs. Elsie,	Glastonbury, Conn.,	—	—	1
Hine, Harold M.,	Hartford, Conn.,	2	—	1
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Albany, N. Y.,	—	1	—
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Boston, Mass.,	—	—	1
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Chicago, Ill.,	—	2	—
Historical Records Survey, W.P.A.,	Louisville, Ky.,	1	—	—
Historical Society of Pennsylvania,	Philadelphia, Pa.,	1	—	—
Historical Society of York County,	York, Pa.,	—	1	—
Hitchcock, Mrs. Alfred M.,	W. Hartford, Conn.,	—	1	—
Hoadley, the late George E.,	W. Hartford, Conn.,	1	—	—
Howe, Herbert B.,	New York, N. Y.,	1	—	—
Illinois State Historical Society,	Springfield, Ill.,	3	—	—
Indiana Historical Society,	Bloomington, Ind.,	1	—	—
Iowa Historical Society,	Iowa City, Iowa,	2	—	—
Jenkins, Ralph C.,	Danbury, Conn.,	—	1	—
John Carter Brown Library,	Providence, R. I.,	—	1	—

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Johnson, Henry R., - - - - -	Springfield, Mass., -	10	—	2
Johnson, Mabel M., - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	11	—
Jones, Matt B., - - - - - -	Newton, Mass., -	1	—	—
Kansas Historical Society, - - -	Topeka, Kan., - -	2	—	—
Keidel, George C., - - - - - -	Baltimore, Md., -	—	—	1
Kelly, J. Frederick, - - - - -	New Haven, Conn., -	1	—	—
Kemp, G. Ward, - - - - - -	Seattle, Wash., -	1	—	—
Kilbourne, Frederick W., - - -	Meriden, Conn., -	—	1	—
Konkle, Burton Alva, - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	—	2
Laval University, - - - - - -	Quebec, Canada, -	1	—	—
Lee Memorial Foundation, - - -	Stratford, Va., - -	—	1	—
Leech, May Atherton, - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	1	—
Lewis, Lawrence, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Lewis Institute, - - - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Library of Congress, - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	1	6	—
Life, - - - - - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	—	1
Lignon Family & Kinsmen Assoc., -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Lippincott, J. B. Co., - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	1	—
Long Island Historical Society, -	Brooklyn, N. Y., -	1	1	—
Loomis, Archie H., - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	3	1	10
Lyman, Mrs. Florence Van Fleet, -	Longmeadow, Mass.,	3	—	5
McConnell, B. M., - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
McKesson & Robbins, Inc., - -	Bridgeport, Conn., -	—	1	—
McPherson, Mrs. L. D., - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Martin, C. R., - - - - - - -	Detroit, Mich., - -	—	1	—
Maryland Historical Society, - -	Baltimore, Md., -	2	1	—
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of, -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	—	11
Maxwell, Francis T., - - - -	Rockville, Conn., -	17	10	2
Merwin, Mrs. S. R. C., - - -	Lee, Mass., - -	1	—	—
Michigan Historical Society, - -	Detroit, Mich., - -	—	1	—
Middlesex County Historical Soc., -	Middletown, Conn., -	—	1	—
Minnesota Historical Society, - -	St. Paul, Minn., -	2	—	—
Missouri Resources Museum, - -	Jefferson City, Mo.,	1	—	—
Morse, Mrs. Everett L., - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	—	1
Morse, John Howard, - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	—	7
Muscalus, John A., - - - -	Bridgeport, Conn., -	—	1	—
Museum of the American Indian, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	2	—
Museum of the City of New York,	New York, N. Y., -	—	2	—
National Archives, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
National Archives Project, W.P.A.,	Hartford, Conn., -	4	—	—
National Archives Project, W.P.A.,	New Haven, Conn., -	—	3	—
National Assoc. of Manufacturers, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	5	—
National Collegiate Athletic Assoc.,	Middletown, Conn., -	1	—	—
National Dairy Products Corp., -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
National Education Association, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
National Geographic Society, - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
National Society of Daughters of Founders and Patriots, - -	Washington, D. C., -	1	—	—
Navy Department, - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
New Hampshire Historical Society,	Concord, N. H., -	2	—	—
New Haven Colony Historical Soc.,	New Haven, Conn., -	1	—	—
New England Historic Gen. Soc., -	Boston, Mass., - -	1	—	—
New York City Art Commission, -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—

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New York Historical Society, - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
New York Public Library, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
New York State Library, - - -	Albany, N. Y., - -	1	—	—
Newberry Library, - - - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	2	—
Newport Historical Society, - -	Newport, R. I., - -	—	2	—
North Carolina Historical Comm., -	Raleigh, N. C., - -	1	—	—
Northwest Territory Celebration Comm., - - - - - - -	Marietta, Ohio, -	—	1	—
Ohio State Archaeological & Hist. Soc., - - - - - - - -	Columbus, Ohio, -	3	—	—
Oklahoma Historical Society, - -	Oklahoma City, Okla., - - -	17	—	—
Oshkosh Public Museum, - - -	Oshkosh, Wis., - -	—	—	1
Palmer, H. L., - - - - - - -	Branford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Paltsits, V. H., - - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Paris-Hopewell-Sesqui-Centennial, Inc., - - - - - - - -	Paris, Ky., - - -	—	1	—
Pennsylvania Historical Comm., -	Harrisburg, Pa., -	2	1	—
Pennsylvania Historical Society, -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	1	—	—
Perkins, Henry A., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Peru, City of, - - - - - - -	Peru, Ill., - - -	—	1	—
Pitcairn, Raymond, - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	1	—
Polish R. C. Union of America, -	Chicago, Ill., - -	1	—	—
Potter, Mildred B., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
Pratt, Waldo S., Estate of, - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	8	46
Presbyterian Historical Society, -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	1	—	—
Press Bureau Chinese Delegation, -	Geneva, Swtz., - -	—	2	—
Public Library, - - - - - -	Bristol, Conn., - -	—	1	—
Public Library, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	10	37	—
Public Library, - - - - - -	St. Louis, Mo., - -	1	—	—
Publicity Committee, - - - -	Plymouth, Mass., -	—	1	—
Raymond, Mrs. Hildred Sperry, -	Farmington, Conn., -	4	—	—
Rhode Island Historical Society, -	Providence, R. I., -	1	—	—
Rippier, A. C., - - - - - - -	Germantown, Pa., -	—	1	—
Robinson, Mrs. C. L. F., Heirs of, -	W. Hartford, Conn.,	44	2	—
Rochester Historical Society, - -	Rochester, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Rockefeller Foundation, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	1	—
Rollins College, - - - - - -	Winter Park, Fla., -	—	1	—
Sawyer, Mrs. W. H., - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Smallwood, Mrs. Dorothy H., - -	Washington, D. C., -	—	1	—
Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chetwood, -	Worcester, Mass., -	1	—	—
Smith, Harold Vincent, - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Smith, Olive Cole, - - - - -	Coral Gables, Fla., -	1	—	—
Smithsonian Institution, - - -	Washington, D. C., -	9	28	—
Snow, Nora E., - - - - - -	Hillburn, N. Y., -	2	—	—
Society of Founders and Patriots, -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Society of Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Soifer, Max E., - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	2	7
Sons of American Revolution, - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Spiess, Mathias, - - - - - -	Manchester, Conn., -	2	—	—
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, -	New York, N. Y., -	3	7	—
Stanford University, - - - -	Palo Alto, Calif., -	1	—	—

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State Historical Society, - - -	Springfield, Mass., -	1	—	—
State Historical Society, - - -	Iowa City, Iowa, -	4	—	—
State Historical Society, - - -	Madison, Wis., - -	1	—	—
States Historical Co., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Stillman, Alice W., - - - -	Wethersfield, Conn.,	—	1	1
Tanenbaum, Samuel, - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	12	1
Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Willard U., -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Tea & Coffee Trade Journal Co., -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
Territorial Planning Board, - -	Honolulu, Hawaii, -	3	—	—
Thompson, Edmund B., - - -	Windham, Conn., -	2	—	—
The Times, - - - - - - -	London, Eng., - -	—	—	1
Tippecanoe County Historical Assoc.,	Lafayette, Ind., - -	—	1	—
Trinity College, - - - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
Truesdell, Wesley E., - - - -	Brooklyn, N. Y., -	—	1	—
Tuller, Charles A., - - - - -	Minneapolis, Minn., -	—	1	—
Tuttle, the late Jane, - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	—	1
Tyler, George F., - - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	1	—	—
United Brewers Industrial Foundation, - - - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	—	2	—
University of California, - - -	Berkeley, Calif., -	6	—	—
University of Chicago, - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	4	—
University of Cincinnati, - - -	Cincinnati, Ohio, -	1	—	
University of Detroit Library, -	Detroit, Mich., - -	1	—	—
University of Iowa, - - - -	Iowa City, Iowa, -	1	—	—
University of Missouri, - - -	Columbia, Mo., - -	1	—	—
University of Notre Dame, - -	So. Bend, Ind., -	1	—	—
University of Pennsylvania, - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	2	1	—
University of Toulouse, - - -	Toulouse, France, -	1	7	—
University of Washington, - -	Seattle, Wash., -	1	—	—
Vermont Historical Society, - -	Montpelier, Vt., -	3	—	—
Vineland Historical Society, - -	Vineland, N. J., -	3	2	—
Virginia State Library, - - -	Richmond, Va., -	1	1	—
Voorhies, Amos Earle, - - - -	Grant's Pass, Ore., -	—	2	—
Wadsworth Atheneum, - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	14	1	—
Waite, Frederick C., - - - -	Kirtland, Ohio, - -	—	—	1
Warren, Louis A., - - - - -	Fort Wayne, Ind., -	—	—	4
Waterman, Edgar F., - - - -	Hartford, Conn., -	1	—	—
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Resolve Incorporating

The Connecticut Historical Society.

Passed May, 1825; Renewed May, 1839;
Amended February, 1905, May, 1923, March, 1929, March, 1931.

Resolved by this Assembly, That John Trumbull, Thomas C. Brownell, Timothy Pitkin, John S. Peters, William W. Ellsworth, Thomas Day, Thomas Robins, Daniel Burhans, Thomas Hubbard, Isaac Toucey, Nathaniel S. Wheaton, George Sumner, Roger M. Sherman, William T. Williams, Martin Wells, Joseph Battell, William Cooley, Thomas H. Gallaudet, Thomas S. Williams, Eli Todd, Walter Mitchell, George W. Doane, Samuel B. Woodward, S. H. Huntington, Samuel W. Dana, James Gould, Samuel A. Foote, Nathan Johnson, Hawley Olmsted, Benjamin Trumbull, John Hall, and their associates and successors, be, and hereby are ordained, constituted and declared to be forever hereafter, a body corporate, by the name of *The Connecticut Historical Society,* and by that name, they, their associates and successors shall and may have perpetual succession; shall be capable of suing and being sued, pleading and being impleaded, and also to purchase, receive, hold and convey any estate, real or personal, to an amount not exceeding four million dollars; and may have a common seal, and the same may alter at pleasure, may establish rules relative to the admission of future members; may ordain, establish, and put in execution such by-laws and regulations, not contrary to the provisions of this charter, or the laws of this State, as shall be deemed necessary for the government of said Corporation.

The Governor of this State, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Judges of the Superior Court, shall be *ex officio* members of the Society.

Said Corporation shall meet once a year for the choice of a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as may be designated from time to time by the by-laws of the Society.

The first meeting of the Society shall be holden at the State House in Hartford at such time as shall be designated by the Honorable John Trumbull, notice thereof being previously given in one or more newspapers printed in Hartford.

Provided, nevertheless, that this act of incorporation shall be subject to be revoked or altered, at the pleasure of the General Assembly.

By-Laws.

ARTICLE I. MEMBERS.

SECTION 1. The Society shall consist of active, corresponding, and honorary members. Only active members shall be entitled to vote in any meeting of the Society.

Corresponding and honorary members shall be persons residing out of the State of Connecticut, and shall not be subject to any admission fee or dues.

Honorary members shall be persons who may have rendered important public service to the State of Connecticut, or to the cause of historic inquiry, or literature generally.

SECTION 2. Every application for active membership shall be in writing, signed by the applicant, shall be supported by the written recommendation of at least one active member residing in the State of Connecticut, and shall be accompanied by the admission fee of three dollars. Such applications must be made upon blank forms furnished by the Society and shall contain a brief personal sketch of the applicant.

Every nomination for the election of corresponding or honorary members shall be based upon the application, in writing, of at least two active members, residing in the State of Connecticut, stating the reason for such nomination, and the qualifications of the persons proposed for membership.

SECTION 3. No person shall be voted for as an active, corresponding, or honorary member until at least the meeting next succeeding the one at which his election is recommended by the Committee on Membership, with the exception that during the period from the regular meeting in May of each year to the first day of the following September, the Standing Committee may, on the recommendation of the Committee on Membership, elect any applicants to membership.

Whenever a vote shall be taken on the admission of a member and there shall be found two ballots against his admission, the presiding officer shall declare the election postponed. At the next regular meeting, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, he may be admitted by the votes of two-thirds of the members present. Whenever there shall be found one ballot in the Standing Committee against an applicant for admission, this application shall be presented at the next regular meeting of the Society, if the recommendation of the Committee on Membership shall be renewed, and the applicant may be admitted by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

SECTION 4. Active members shall pay as annual dues to the Society three dollars if they reside within the City of Hartford, and two dol-

lars if they reside without said city. Any active member, not indebted to the Society for dues, may constitute himself a life member by paying at one time the sum of fifty dollars.

The annual dues of members shall be payable in advance on the first day of May in each year. The payment of the annual dues shall constitute a condition for membership, and the neglect or refusal to pay the same for the period of six months after they become due shall be deemed a withdrawal from the Society.

ARTICLE II. OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The officers of the Society, to be elected at the annual meeting by ballot, and to hold their offices for one year and until others shall be chosen, shall be, a President, not exceeding eight Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, an Auditor, a Committee on Membership to consist of seven members, Committees on the Library, on Publication, on Finance, and on Monthly Papers, each to consist of three members. The Committee on Finance may with the Treasurer select any Trust Company that it may see fit, to assist the Treasurer in the work of his office. Only active members resident in the State of Connecticut shall be eligible to office.

The preceding officers and the chairmen of the several committees shall constitute the Standing Committee of the Society.

The presiding officer shall name the members of all special committees ordered raised at any meeting.

A Librarian and Cabinet Keeper shall be appointed by the Standing Committee, whenever such appointment shall be deemed advisable.

SECTION 2. The President shall be chairman of the Standing Committee, and a member ex officio of the Committees on Membership, the Library, Publication and Finance; shall preside at all meetings of the Society and of the Standing Committee; and shall deliver or provide for an address at the annual meeting.

The Recording Secretary shall call all meetings of the Society; shall have custody of the files, records, and seal of the Society; shall give notice to new members of their election, and furnish them certificates of membership; and shall keep an accurate journal of the transactions of the Society and of the Standing Committee.

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence in behalf of the Society.

The Treasurer shall be ex officio a member of the Committee on Finance; shall receive the admission fees, and report the names of the persons paying the same to the Recording Secretary; shall receive all other moneys due, and all donations or bequests of money made to the Society; shall pay to the order of the chairman of the Standing Committee such sums as may be required for the ordinary expenses of the Society and such as the Society or Standing Committee may otherwise direct to be paid; shall keep a true and faithful account

of all moneys received and paid by him, and of the property and debts of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting, render an audited statement thereof.

The Librarian, under the direction of the Committee on the Library, shall arrange and have charge of all books, pamphlets, manuscripts, and other articles belonging to or deposited in the rooms of the Society; and shall, at the annual meeting of the Society, make a full report of his doings as Librarian during the past year, and of the condition of the Library.

The Auditor shall, prior to the annual meeting, examine the books, accounts and financial statements of the Treasurer, and compare the same with the vouchers and securities in the Treasurer's hands and certify the result of such examination to the Society.

Section 3. The Committee on Membership shall consider all applications for membership, and shall report to the Society such applications as said Committee may approve and recommend for admission. No applications for membership shall be considered or acted upon by said Committee during a meeting of the Society.

The Committee on the Library shall have the general oversight and management of the Library, manuscripts and other collections belonging to or deposited with the Society. Said Committee shall make purchases for the library to such an amount as may be appropriated from time to time for the purpose.

The Committee on Publication shall have the superintendence of all publications ordered by the Society. They shall, from time to time, report to the Society respecting the selection and arrangement of such papers, from the library of the Society or other sources, as are most suitable for publication in volumes of the Society's Collections.

The Committee on Monthly Papers shall provide for a paper to be read at each regular meeting of the Society.

The Standing Committee shall act generally in behalf of the Society, and shall fill all vacancies in any offices until the next regular meeting of the Society. Any five members of this Committee may constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and a notice for a meeting of the Society shall be deemed a notice for a meeting of this Committee. Special meetings of this Committee may be called by the Recording Secretary by direction of the President.

ARTICLE III. MEETINGS.

Section 1. An annual meeting shall be held in the month of May, at such time as the Standing Committee shall appoint.

A regular meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday evening of each month from October to May inclusive, unless otherwise ordered.

Section 2. Special meetings shall be called by direction of the President, or, in his absence, on the application of three active members to the Recording Secretary.

Notice of each meeting of the Society shall be sent by mail to each active member at least two days prior thereto. And at any meeting, duly called and notified, ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE IV. DONATIONS AND DEPOSITS.

All donations to and deposits with the Society shall be entered in books kept for that purpose.

No donations shall be exchanged or disposed of unless the Society have a duplicate of the same.

All deposits left with the Society shall be carefully preserved, and may at any time be taken away by the depositor in person, or delivered on his written order. But every deposit which has not been so reclaimed or withdrawn shall, after the decease of the depositor, be entered as a donation, and be deemed the property of the Society; unless, at the time of making the deposit, other conditions shall have been prescribed by the depositor.

ARTICLE V. LIBRARY.

The rooms, with all books, manuscripts, pictures, and articles belonging to or deposited with the Society, shall be under the immediate charge of the Librarian, acting under the direction of the Committee on the Library.

The library shall be open for the inspection of the public, and the examination of books and manuscripts, and transcription therefrom, at such time, and on such conditions, as shall be prescribed by the Committee on the Library; and no book or manuscript shall be taken from the rooms without a special vote of the Society, except by the Committee on Publication.

ARTICLE VI. PUBLICATION FUND.

The legacy left to the Society by its late President, the Hon. Thomas Day, the avails of all life memberships, application fees, and all special donations and subscriptions which may be made thereto, shall constitute a Publication Fund, the income of which shall be applied, under the direction of the Committee on Publication, toward the expense of such publications as may be ordered by the Society.

ARTICLE VII. ALTERATIONS.

Any alteration of these by-laws shall be submitted to a regular meeting held prior to that on which the vote on the same is taken.

President's Address.

In my annual report of last year, I gave a brief account of twenty-five of the Charter Members of this Society. There remain six of these Charter Members, who were not mentioned.

Joseph Battell was born, July 21, 1774 in Milford, Connecticut, and, when he was eighteen years of age, he removed to Norfolk in that State, where he opened a country store. Here his fortunes prospered, and he became the leading merchant of Norfolk and the adjacent towns. His reputation throughout the State was that of a highly successful man of business, and a person of strict integrity. He died, November 30, 1841.

Dr. William Cooley was born in Bolton, Connecticut, May 10, 1781, and died in East Hartford, January 10, 1839. He studied medicine under his father who was a physician, and settled in that part of East Hartford which is now Manchester. Here he practiced his profession with marked success, for many years. He was, for a number of terms, a member of the State Legislature.

The Rev. Daniel Burhans, D.D. was brought up in the doctrines of Calvanistic Congregationalism of that time, but, in 1783, he became a member of the Episcopal Church, and decided to study for the ministry. Ten years later he was ordained by Bishop Seabury, and became Rector of Trinity Church in Newtown, where he remained until 1830, a service of thirty years. He was a trustee of Trinity College which conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity on him in 1831. Born in Sherman, Connecticut, July 7, 1762, he died, December 30, 1853.

Dr. Thomas Hubbard was born in 1776 in Smithfield, Rhode Island, and died in New Haven, June 16, 1838. For a term of years he lived in Pomfret, Connecticut where he pursued the life of a busy country physician. The first accession to the original faculty of the Medical College of New Haven, which was affiliated with Yale College, was in 1829, when Dr. Hubbard was called to the chair of surgery. He was then fifty-three years of age. Dr. Hubbard was President of the

Connecticut State Medical Society for five consecutive years, which is a record seldom, if ever, equalled.

Hawley Olmsted, LL.D. of New Haven, was born, December 17, 1793, and died, December 3, 1868. He was a graduate of Yale College in the class of 1816.

John Hall, of Ellington, was admitted to membership in the Congregational Church of that town in 1807. Little is found in print about him.

The first meeting of the Society was held in the State House, May 30, 1825, and was called by the Hon. John Trumbull pursuant to the requirements of the Act of Incorporation. The first officers elected were: President, Hon. John Trumbull, Vice-President, Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Brownell, Recording Secretary, Thomas Day, Corresponding Secretary, Rev. Thomas Robbins, and Treasurer, Walter Mitchell. A committee, consisting of the Hon. Timothy Pitkin, the Rev. Thomas Robbins, Dr. George Sumner, Professor G. W. Doane, and Thomas Day was entrusted with the preparation of "a Constitution and a Code of By-Laws for the regulation of the Society", and, after an address by the Rev. Thomas Robbins on the objects of the Society, the meeting adjourned at 7 P. M. to the following day, May 31st. The Hartford Courant contains a notice, signed by John Trumbull, calling the meeting of May 30th.

At the adjourned meeting, held in the State House the day following, May 31st, the committee, which had been appointed to prepare a Constitution and By-Laws, made a report, which, after deliberate consideration, was approved and adopted. It was then voted that the Constitution be signed by the members of the Society. This Constitution is contained in a separate note book, which is placed in the front of the first volume of minutes. Although Article XIV requires that "Every member of the Society, except honorary members, shall subscribe this Constitution", only sixteen members affixed their signatures. A Standing Committee of six was elected, and the meeting adjourned to Thursday, June 2nd.

The Constitution as adopted, provided in Article I that "It shall be the duty of every member of this Society to obtain and communicate information relative to the civil, ecclesiastical & natural history of this State & of the United

States". This, in the light of the present day, placed a heavy burden of responsibility on the members. The initiation fee was three dollars, the same as now, the annual dues were two dollars, and meetings of the Society were to be held quarterly "on the Thursday immediately succeeding the first Wednesday in May, August, November, and February: and at the meeting in May shall proceed to elect by ballot" the officers for the ensuing year. The Constitution allots to the President, the Corresponding Secretary, the Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and Standing Committee, much the same duties as we require of them at the present time. It was wisely ordained that the election of members be by ballot, and that such election be held at the meeting following the one at which the person was nominated. The procedure in this matter shows little change after one hundred and sixteen years.

The third meeting of the Society was held in the State House on the 2nd of June, 1825. Of the twenty-eight persons now nominated for membership, seventeen declined the invitation. Good intentions often take long in fruition. It was resolved "That the Recording Secretary be directed to prepare a common Seal for the Society"—a most desirable object, but one not yet carried out.

On August 4, 1825, the meeting elected fourteen new members, and twenty-five were placed in nomination, of which number only six became members. After instructing the Recording Secretary to give notice "of the time and place of holding the Quarterly Meetings of the Society in the several Newspapers printed in the city of Hartford", the meeting adjourned, sine die.

The adjournment was truly, sine die. The first President, John Trumbull, the Judge, and author of McFingal, and the Secretary of the Standing Committee, Bishop George Washington Doane, then a professor in Washington, now Trinity, College, within a year after the formation of the Society removed from this State. The driving force seems to have left with them, for the organization remained quiescent for fourteen years until the revival of its charter in 1839, at which time Thomas Day, Secretary of State, became its President. It may very well be that, during this interlude, informal gatherings of the members were held, and it may even be that

minutes of these meetings were taken, but never entered by the Recording Secretary. In any event, there is no record extant of the election of officers during these years.

Our present membership is five hundred and eleven. This is a decrease of eleven during the year, and a loss of forty-eight since 1931, in which year the enrollment was five hundred and fifty-nine. We have lost twelve by death, ten by resignation, and two were dropped. The fact that, during ten years of trying times and financial uncertainty, the number of members has shown such a small falling off is evidence of stability. I believe that, by a concerted effort, we could easily regain our former enrollment—certainly so if each member endeavored to interest at least one person in the work and objects of the Society.

The attendance at the monthly meetings, during the past year, shows a decided increase. The papers read at these meetings were as follows:

October 1st. Rev. Sherrod Soule, D.D. of Hartford. "Asaph Hall, LL.D., Noted Astronomer, Native of Goshen, Conn., Discoverer of the Moons of Mars."

November 12th. G. Andrews Moriarty, Jr., LL.B., F.S.A. of Ogunquit, Maine. "Genealogical Research in England."

December 3rd. Charles S. Hall, A.M. of New Canaan. "Benjamin Tallmadge, A Connecticut Patriot."

January 7th. Miss May Sherwood of Danbury. "Some Connecticut Legends."

February 4th. Harold C. Jaquith, LL.D., Provost of Trinity College. "There I lived: Lincoln's Illinois."

March 4th. Professor Ralph H. Gabriel of Yale University. "The Testing of Benjamin Gold, Cornwall Puritan."

April 1st. Nelson R. Burr, Ph.D. of West Hartford. "The Quakers in Connecticut: A little known phase of our history."

May 6th. Edwin Stanley Welles of Newington. "The Life and Public Services of Thomas Welles, Fourth Governor of Connecticut."

During the year, one of the large basement rooms which is used by the Society for storage purposes was cleaned and the

contents re-arranged. This gave sufficient space for shelving which took the remaining books which were still in the warehouse, and terminated the rental of three hundred dollars a year which was paid for storage there.

The report of the Treasurer shows that the debit balance of nearly six hundred dollars, which represented the deficit of the year ending May, 1940, has been paid and the year closed with a small credit balance. The margin of income over the expenses of the Society is far from large, and demands caution in the administration of its affairs. The great need of further endowment is ever present.

EDGAR F. WATERMAN,
President.

Necrology, 1941.

BY PROFESSOR ARTHUR ADAMS, PH.D.

Mrs. Normand Francis Allen

Mrs. Caroline White Olmsted Allen, widow of Normand F. Allen, who became a member of the Society November 4, 1902, died in Hartford November 22, 1940.

She was born in Enfield August 6, 1863, a daughter of Erastus Olmsted, of Enfield, whose wife was Aurelia King. She was graduated from Mount Holyoke College in the Class of 1884.

Her husband founded the Sage-Allen Co. store in 1889, and served as President of the Company till his death in 1922. From that time, Mrs. Allen served as President till her death most successfully.

She was a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, of the Society of the Descendants of the Founders of Hartford, of the Town and County Club, of the Friends of Hartford, of the Ruth Wyllys Chapter, D.A.R., of the Art Society of Hartford, of the Mount Holyoke Club of Hartford, of the Hartford Chamber of Commerce, of the Business and Professional Women's Club, and of the Y. W. C. A.

Mrs. Allen leaves a son, Edward N. Allen, Vice-President and General Manager of the store and three daughters: Mrs. William Haine, of West Hartford, Mrs. Ralph D. Keeney, of Somerville, and Mrs. James A. Grover, of Litchfield. There are eleven grandchildren.

Dr. Charles Borgeaud

Dr. Charles Borgeaud, of Geneva, Switzerland, who was elected an honorary member of the Connecticut Historical Society in 1929, died in Geneva October 6, 1940.

He was elected an honorary member of the Society, a rare distinction, in recognition of his studies in Huguenot History and in the rise of Democracy, especially as evidenced by his book, published in 1894, on the "Rise of Modern Democracy in Old and New England".

He was born August 15, 1861, a son of Col. Auguste Bor-

geaud, of Lausanne. He received the degree of Ph.D. at Jena in 1882 and the LL.D. degree from the University of Geneva in 1886. He was Professor of National History and Constitutional Law in Geneva, and was Dean of the Faculty of Law from 1923.

He was a member of many learned societies in Europe and America, including the Massachusetts Historical Society, and received many honorary degrees. He published many books and many articles in technical periodicals.

In 1901, he married Marie, daughter of Professor Pierre Vaucher, of Geneva. He leaves a son, Dr. M. A. Borgeaud, and two daughters.

The Society is honored in having Dr. Borgeaud in its roll of members.

John Norton Brooks

John Norton Brooks, of Torrington, who was elected a life member of the Society, December 7, 1920, died of a heart attack at his farm in Goshen, April 7, 1941.

He was born in Goshen August 24, 1870, a son of John Wadhams Brooks, whose wife was Mariana Norton. He was educated in the public schools of Torrington, and in the private schools in Bridgeport and Hartford.

In 1886, he began work with Brooks Brothers, private bankers, of which his father and his uncle, Isaac Brooks, were founders. Later they organized the Brooks Bank and Trust Company, of which in the course of time, he became President. He was President also of the Torrington Savings Bank, the Torrington Water Company, of the Torrington Library, Vice-President of the Torrington Electric Light Company, of the Warrenton Woolen Company, and of the Torrington Printing Company, and was Treasurer of the Wolcotville School Society, and of the Hillside Cemetery Association of Torrington. He was a member of the Torrington Club, of the Connecticut Society, S.A.R., and of the Society of Colonial Wars.

He long was active in political affairs.

He was elected a member of the Connecticut House of Representatives from Torrington in 1915, and was a member of the Connecticut Senate from 1917 to 1923 serving as Chairman of the Committee on Military Affairs. He served on

Governor Holcomb's Staff with the rank of Major. He was much interested in the organization of the Home Guard after the National Guard was called into Federal service. For several years, he was Securities Examiner for the State Banking Department. He was an expert mechanic, interested in electrical devices, and was an authority on highway paving. He was much interested in the Torrington Police Department for more than half a century, and was an honorary member of the Board of Public Safety. He served as Town and City Treasurer for many years. In a word, he was one of the most active and useful citizens of his city.

In Torrington in 1902, he married Alice E. Atkins, who predeceased him by about a year. He leaves a son John Hervey Brooks, and two daughters, Laura, and Elizabeth, now Mrs. MacDonald.

William Palmer Conklin

William Palmer Conklin, who became a member of the Society, October 4, 1932, died in Hartford August 7, 1940.

He was born in Hartford February 27, 1868, a son of Hamilton Washington Conklin, born in Madison, Connecticut, whose wife was Angeline Eliza Shepard, born in Hartford.

For twenty-five years he was with the J. M. Ney Company, serving as Vice-President and Treasurer at the time of his retirement on January 1, 1940, and for some years before that date. He married Edith Ney, a daughter of the late J. M. Ney, the founder of the Company; she died March 18, 1934.

Mr. Conklin graduated from the Hartford Public High School in 1885. For some years, he was President of the Good Will Club of Hartford.

Charles Collins Cook

Charles Collins Cook, who was admitted to the Society, December 4, 1923, died at his home in West Hartford August 23, 1940. He was born May 4, 1857, in Middletown, a son of John Cook, born in Hartford, whose wife, Lucy Pratt, was born in Portland. He married Harriet Slocum.

Mr. Cook was an architect and a contracting builder in Hartford for many years. He served a term in the Connecticut State Senate as a Republican, and was a member of the Commission having charge of the erection of the Connecticut State

Library and Supreme Court Building.

He became Assessor of the Town of West Hartford in 1898, and was an active and highly respected citizen.

Joseph Ralph Ensign

Joseph Ralph Ensign, of Simsbury, admitted to the Society October 1, 1895, died at his home "Chestnut Hill" in Simsbury after a long illness, January 22, 1941.

He was a son of Ralph Hart Ensign, of Simsbury, whose wife was Susan Toy, daughter of the founder of the present Ensign-Bickford Company, manufacturers of safety fuses, of which Mr. Ensign was long President and Chairman of the Board.

He was graduated from the Hartford Public High School, and from Yale University with the degree of B.A. in 1889. In 1891 he received the M.A. degree in course from his Alma Mater. In 1935 Wesleyan University conferred on him the honorary degree of M.A.

In 1891, he entered the firm of which his father was then General Manager. In 1907, he was elected Vice-President. In 1917 he became President, and in 1935, Chairman of the Board.

He was a Director of many Hartford Corporations, including the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, the Hartford National Bank and Trust Company, the Hartford Steam Boiler and Inspection Company, the Hartford County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company. He was a Director of the Neuro-Psychiatric Institute of the Hartford Retreat and of the Hartford Seminary Foundation. He was a Director also of the Canadian Safety Fuse Company.

He was a member, a Trustee and Treasurer of the Simsbury Methodist Episcopal Church. He was President of the Simsbury Cemetery Association, and Vice-President and Director of the Simsbury Historical Society. He was a Trustee of the Simsbury Free Library. He was long Chairman of the Simsbury School Board, and was a Trustee of the Ethel Walker School for Girls in Simsbury. He was a Director of the Simsbury Electric Company and of the Simsbury Water Company.

He was a member of the Hartford Club, the Hartford Golf Club, the University Club of Hartford, the Graduates Club of New Haven, the Farmington Country Club, the Yale Club of New York, the Wampanoag Country Club, the Misquamicut Golf Club, and the Mountain Lake Club of Florida.

He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity, of Phi Beta Kappa, and of the Elihu Club, all of Yale University. He was a member of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Connecticut.

With his sisters, he established the Susan Toy Ensign Memorial Hospital in Nanchang, China. He gave the organ for the chapel of Wesleyan University and made generous contributions to Yale University.

April 5, 1894, he married Mary Jane Phelps. The only child is a daughter Mary Phelps, wife of Frederick H. Lovejoy, of Concord, Massachusetts. He is survived also by two sisters: Mrs. William Inglis Morse, of Cambridge, Massachusetts, and Mrs. Robert Darling, of Simsbury.

Henry Wood Erving

Henry Wood Erving, who was elected to membership in the Society, December 7, 1920, died at his home in Hartford, January 14, 1941, at the advanced age of ninety.

He was born in Westfield, Massachusetts, April 1, 1851, a son of Daniel Dodge Erving, born in Leicester, Massachusetts, whose wife was Cynthia Ann Chapin Woodward, born in Ashford, Connecticut. He was educated in the Hartford public schools and in the Connecticut Literary Institute at Suffield, now known as Suffield Academy.

Mr. Erving began his long career as a banker March 4, 1870, when he entered the Charter Oak National Bank as a messenger, serving for seventeen years and becoming Teller.

January 1, 1887, he became Cashier of the Connecticut River Banking Company, February 4, 1919, he became Vice-President, and April 1, 1930, Chairman of the Board of Directors, serving in that capacity till his death.

He was a Director of the Travelers Bank and Trust Company and of the Hartford County Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was a Trustee of the Wadsworth Athenaeum, was a member of the Walpole Society, of the Sons of the

American Revolution, of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America, and of the Society of Colonial Wars, as well as of many bankers' associations. He was a Republican and a member of the Central Baptist Church.

He early became interested in the study and collection of American antiques, especially antique New England furniture. He became an expert in this field and built up a remarkable collection. He wrote a pamphlet entitled "Random Notes on Colonial Furniture", and frequently presented papers on his favorite subjects before historical and other societies. He also wrote a "History of the Connecticut River Banking Company", published in 1925. In 1926, Trinity College conferred on him the degree of Master of Arts in recognition of his learning and of his position in the business and social life in Hartford.

October 25, 1876, he married Mary Ella Gage, of Hartford, who died August 17, 1929. There were two children: William G. Erving and Selma Erving.

Dr. William G. Erving served in the World War as a Major in the Medical Corps, A.E.F., going to England in April 1917. After the War, he was for a time in charge of the Orthopedic Section of the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington. His son, Dr. Henry William Erving, and his widow, Dr. Emma Lootz Erving, with Mr. Erving's daughter, Miss Selma Erving, survive him. His brother, the late William A. Erving, who died December 21, 1925, was for many years President of the Hartford County Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Mr. Erving's personal qualities endeared him in an unusual degree to his many friends, and his death is a great loss to them and to the city he loved and served so well.

Charles Lincoln Goodwin

Charles Lincoln Goodwin, who was admitted to the Society, April 20, 1907, died in Hartford, June 22, 1940.

He was born in Hartford, September 22, 1858, a son of Charles Goodwin, also born in Hartford, whose wife was Mary Lincoln, born in Hartford.

He retired from business as a shoe merchant some forty years ago, and lived quietly giving much attention to his garden. The shoe business was founded by his grandfather, John Goodwin. He was a generous man and gave liberally

to projects for civic improvement. In 1938, he established a trust fund for the care and development of Elizabeth Park. In November 1939, he gave a fund for the American School for the Deaf. A week or two before his death he gave a large sum to the Y. M. C. A. for the refurnishing and redecorating the dormitory rooms.

He was a member of the South Congregational Church, and of the Sons of the Revolution.

Mr. Goodwin was unmarried. A brother, George R. Goodwin predeceased him by about two years.

Matt Bushnell Jones

Matt Bushnell Jones, a lawyer of Newton Centre, Massachusetts, who became a member of the Society December 6, 1932, died July 1, 1940.

He was born in Waitsfield, Vermont, May 15, 1871, a son of Walter A. Jones, whose wife was Elvira Bushnell.

He was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1894, and in 1897, from the Law School of Harvard University. In 1936, he received the honorary degree of Litt.D. from Brown University, and in 1940 the same degree from Dartmouth.

He practiced his profession in Boston for many years. In 1917, he became First Vice-President, Director, and General Counsel of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company. In 1919, he became President and in 1934, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company.

He was a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, a member of the American Antiquarian Society, of the Massachusetts Historical Society, of the Vermont and New Hampshire Historical Societies, a member of the N. E. Historic Genealogical Society, and of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts. He was a member of the D. K. E. fraternity, of the Casque and Gauntlet Society of Dartmouth College, and of Phi Beta Kappa. He was a member of the Union Club, of Boston, and of the Club of Odd Volumes.

Among his writings may be mentioned "A History of Waitsfield, Vermont", 1909, and "Vermont in the Making", 1939.

September 12, 1899, he married Grace A. Smith, of Northampton, Massachusetts. The children were: Walter Leland, Catharine Bushnell, who married Sumner H. Babcock, of Wellesley, and Matt Bushnell.

Richard Montgomery Gilchrist Potter

Richard Montgomery Gilchrist Potter, who was admitted to the Society March 4, 1924, committed suicide in the Hotel Claridge in New York by shooting himself, April 7, 1941.

He was born December 17, 1899, in Flushing, Long Island, New York, a son of the Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter, long Pastor of the Center Congregational Church in Hartford, and now Dean of the Hartford Theological Seminary.

He was educated in the South School in Hartford and was graduated from the Hartford Public High School. He entered Union College with the Class of 1921, but left to enter the Plattsburgh Officers Training Company. After he received his commission, he served in student reserve training in Georgia. After the War, he entered the Harvard School of Business Administration, graduating in 1922.

After working with several firms in Hartford, Boston, and New York, some three years ago he entered the service of L. F. Rothschild & Co., New York brokers, remaining with them till his death.

In May 1936, he married Ruth E. Cutler, of Schenectady. By a former marriage he left two children.

Mr. Potter was much interested in work for Chinese relief and was a member of the Hartford Committee of the United China Relief Organization.

He was intensely interested in books and gave valuable service as a member of the Hartford Committee for the Celebration of the 500th Anniversary of the invention of printing by moveable types. He had got together a notable collection of rare books, of which he knew much.

He was greatly interested in the Society and at the April meeting was appointed a member of a committee to consider the possibility and advisability of the Society's erecting a new building at this time.

Frank H. Rose

Frank H. Rose, of Glastonbury, who was elected a member of the Society April 6, 1937, died at his home April 16, 1941.

He was born at Water Mill, Long Island, November 15, 1856, but came to Glastonbury about 1891.

As a young man, he served for ten years in his native town in the United States Life Saving Service, now the Coast

Guard. On coming to Glastonbury, he entered the service of the J. B. Williams Company, as a soapmaker, retiring some seven years ago.

He served a term as Representative from Glastonbury in the Connecticut General Assembly some twenty years ago. He was a Deacon in the First Church of Christ in Glastonbury, and was an organizer of the Glastonbury Park Association.

His wife who was Mary Ellen Sayre, also of Water Mill, died in 1913. He leaves a son Sayre B. Rose, of Waterbury.

Mr. Rose is buried in the family plot in the Water Mill Cemetery.

Gertrude Buckingham Whittemore

Gertrude Buckingham Whittemore, who became a member of the Society, March 7, 1922, died after a short illness at West Palm Beach, Florida April 8, 1941.

She was a lifelong resident of Naugatuck, a daughter of John H. Whittemore, who was one of the founders of the Eastern Malleable Iron Company.

Miss Whittemore was Chairman of the board of trustees of the Howard Whittemore Memorial Library and helped found the Children's Library. She was a generous supporter of numerous public and charitable groups. She left substantial sums of money to many organizations, among which were the Naugatuck Library, Red Cross, Congregational Church and the Y. M. C. A.

She was a member of the Congregational Church, the Waterbury Club, Country Club of Waterbury, Chelton Club, Boston, and of the Colony Club, New York.

She leaves a nephew, Harris Whittemore, Jr., of Naugatuck and a niece, Mrs. Charles H. Upson of Middlebury.

Herbert Russell Wood

Herbert Russell Wood, who was admitted to the Society May 2, 1911, died at his home in Hartford, November 13, 1939.

He was born in Hartford, August 25, 1869, a son of John Wood, born in England, whose wife was Hannah Anderson.

Mr. Wood spent his life in Hartford, where he was a salesman of auto parts. He was a Republican, a member of the First Methodist Church, and of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association. He was unmarried.

Librarian's Report.

Mr. President and Members of the Society:

At the close of a year as Librarian of the Connecticut Historical Society, I am a wiser man. It is not easy to tell an elderly lady her prized possession is one of the 5,000,000 reprint copies of the *Ulster County Gazette;* it is not easy to compete with well-to-do collectors in the purchase of desirable manuscripts and books; it is not easy to find shelf room in our crowded stacks; nor is it easy to find time during the day to do all that you expect to do. The Librarian of this Society performs a multiplicity of tasks ranging from the ordinary library supervision, to correspondence, reference, editorial, constant searching for books and manuscripts in catalogues and at local rare-book stores, publicity, arrangement of exhibits and cataloguing of current accessions. How well we do each of these tasks you probably know better than I, but if over the period of a year we tend to under or over emphasize one phase, this is the time of year to discover it. The day is not long enough to allot so much time to each of these nor is the year long enough, but we hope to average approximately the right proportion without seriously impeding our forward progress in other fields.

It is very easy for us with so much contact with the past to begin actually living in the past. That is such an ever present danger that we perhaps tend to be over aggressive to counteract any possibility of this disease taking hold. The Society today is badly cramped for adequate space, not only for display purposes but for the proper shelving of our manuscripts and books. The catalogue is entirely inadequate for the use of the Society. Every object in the library should be so recorded that any attendant can immediately locate it. Collections of manuscripts should be analyzed for materials on other people and subjects. Our membership is decreasing since each year

we lose more through resignations and deaths than we admit in new members.

Viewing this realistically, I am afraid we are beginning to actually live in the past or so much in the future, that the same result is attained. It is all very well to wait for something, but today we have no assurance this can ever become a reality. The ideal solution of our difficulties would be to build a new building on Washington Street, employ more assistants, especially for a cataloguing department and then start from the bottom and work up. There seems little possibility that such a step can happen today, tomorrow or even next year. Through the impetus of the late Richard M. G. Potter, a committee was appointed at the April meeting to look into the building situation of the Society and report back at an early date recommendations for the alleviation of these difficulties. I am sure we wish this committee well in its task.

As for the cataloguing, at best it is slow work, but we are doing the job systematically and in the course of time, we will be able to show definite advancement. Time here is the most valuable commodity. The membership problem is another where I believe progress can be made. The Membership Committee with a definite plan, should be able to counteract these difficulties. We have something to sell, all we must do is find the correct approach and the salesman. Next fall, I will make a specific recommendation of a program to be followed by that committee which has worked for similar institutions and will work for us.

During the past year we have answered many letters on a variety of subjects. Any number requested genealogical information that if possible was sent. To those requiring considerable research or records not available in our Library, we have recommended competent genealogists who could be of assistance. Other inquiries related to bibliographical subjects such as French translations printed in America between 1668 and 1820; we have the only recorded copy of Arnaud Berquin's *The Honest Farmer,* that was printed in New Haven in 1794. A dealer in rare books had an oblong music book engraved by a Connecticut man, but lacking the title page and introduction. From his meagre information it was possible to identify the book and inform the dealer where a perfect copy for photo-

stating the missing pages was located. Another library secured an imperfect example of a rare Connecticut imprint. From our copy we were able to provide reproductions of the missing pages. We supplied a picture of Mrs. Lydia Sigourney for a film on "Literary Lights of Connecticut", a student desired for a thesis a picture of a Connecticut man who had been chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and material was furnished for several biographies. Our manuscripts supplied much information for dissertations on Oliver Wolcott and Benjamin Tallmadge now in progress. We traced the route of a puppet troupe in Connecticut in 1874, found data on Connecticut Revolutionary uniforms and identified several early clocks made by Connecticut clockmakers. From Thomas Robbins' manuscripts, one time minister at Mattapoisett, information was obtained on ship-building and whaling voyages of that vicinity.

Chosen at random, some of the letters in reply more than repay the time and effort spent in locating material: "Please accept my sincere thanks"; "I greatly appreciate the kindness"; "Please accept my thanks and appreciation"; "Thank you inexpressibly for your complete data"; "Am deeply grateful for your assistance"; "I deeply appreciate the excellent information". There were others, but this expresses the general tenor of people throughout the country who have turned to this Society for assistance.

Our only publications last year were our *Annual Report* of 81 pages and our Quarterly *Bulletin,* with index, of 48 pages. Last May it was authorized to print the Suffield Church Records from the avails of the Ancient Vital Records Fund. The text is now ready and we expect shortly to read proof on the index so that the volume should appear some time this summer.

The accessions compare favorably, in quantity and quality, with those of previous years. However, attention should be called to the large number of purchases made possible through the expenditure of accumulated income of several funds. In the case of the Mather Fund, considerable savings were possible by the favorable rate of exchange last spring and early summer. These increased purchases filled the void numerically, caused by the lack of a large library gift such as the

Goodwin collection last year and the Williams' Humor collection of two years ago.

Total accessions were:

	1114 volumes
	374 pamphlets
	818 miscellaneous items
	88 manuscripts
Total	2394

Of this amount the following are allotted to the various funds:

	Volumes	Pamphlets	Broadsides	Manuscripts	Miscellaneous
Barbour	4	1			
Boardman	11	1			
Brainard	24	6			
Hoadly	24	2	1	4	
Mather	649	19			
Morris	1				
Permanent General			4	3	
Robbins	83	57	2	26	6
Russell	12				
	808	86	7	33	6

Attendance dropped from 3867 to 3228. Similar institutions are experiencing like trends so it is not too significant. Times such as these always leave an imprint on circulation and attendance statistics. Several factors accounted for this decrease, notably, the withdrawal of W.P.A. newspaper researchers.

This year we have had 9 magazines bound, 46 books rebound, 12 newspaper volumes bound, a journal of 24 pages silked and bound, 4 letters silked and a map silked. Much remains to be done in this field. Already we have almost a hundred volumes listed beyond the state where temporary measures will suffice. This work must be done as soon as possible before pages are lost or they become mutilated. Many of our manuscripts are in need of silking to save their legibility, but if a definite amount is delegated for this purpose each year, considerable improvement can be shown in a short time.

One of our main fields of endeavour is the collecting of 18th century Connecticut imprints. We now have more than 1600 of the 2820 items listed in *Books Printed in Connecticut 1709-1800.* Five additions have recently been found of which two are not listed in either Trumbull or Bates. Their titles and bibliographical information follow:

BROWN, CLARK. A Sermon, on the Gospel's Glad Tidings of Great Joy, as Believed by Christians of every Denomination: Delivered in Stonington-Port, Connecticut, on Lord's Day Evening, January 12th, 1800. . . . *Stonington-Port, (Connecticut,) Printed by Samuel Trumbull, For and by the request of a number of the Hearers. 1800.* 19½ cm., pp. 15.

From the Massachusetts Historical Society. Not in Trumbull or Bates.

D'ARNAUD, [François Thomas] M[arie de Baculard.] Fanny: or, the Happy Repentance. From the French of M. D'Arnaud. The Second American Edition. *Norwich: Printed by John Trumbull, and Sold at his Office. 1787.* 15½cm., pp. 84.

By purchase. Bates No. 2050 from Evans No. 20205, no copy located.

THE PRODIGAL Daughter, or A strange and wonderful Relation, Shewing, How a Gentleman of great estate in Bristol, had a proud and disobedient daughter, . . . *Hartford: Printed for the Travelling Booksellers. 1799.* 15 cm., pp. 12.

From the Antiquarian Society, their copy was hitherto only recorded copy.

SKINNER, *Rev. THOMAS.* The faithful Minister's Trials, Qualifications, Work, and Reward described: *etc.* A Sermon preach'd at the Ma'nor of Peace, in the County of Hampshire, on May the 9th, 1751. At The Ordination Of the Reverend Mr. Grindall Rawson. *N. London, Printed and Sold by T. Green, 1751.* [Errata of 10 lines pasted on end leaf.] 21¾ cm., pp. 50.

By purchase. Trumbull No. 1374.

[WALKER, TIMOTHY P.] The Flaming Sword, or a Sign from Heaven, Being A Remarkable Phenomenon, Seen In the State of Vermont. *Norwich, Printed, 1799.* 18 cm., pp. 12.

By purchase. Not in Trumbull or Bates.

With the limited funds at our disposal, we are dependent upon the generosity of friends for much of our important accessions. This year we were particularly fortunate in acquiring several manuscripts worthy of attention.

Wesleyan University Library recently presented us an account book that was kept by Benjamin Gale of Killingworth. Dr. Gale was a famous Connecticut physician and writer on

political subjects. He graduated from Yale College in 1733 and soon after went to Killingworth to study medicine under Dr. Jared Eliot.

The account book commences on February 7, 1737/8 and continues until 1740. It brings to light a hitherto unknown phase in Gale's career. He conducted a large business in various and sundry articles much as the modern department store. Sheep shears, nails, cloth, buttons, wire, fish hooks, lute strings, almanacs and brooms are but a few samples. Many of his customers were from Saybrook and Guilford.

On June 6, 1739, Benjamin Gale married Hannah, the daughter of his instructor. Interestingly he did not open his store on that Wednesday, but the next day more than made up for the celebration. At that time the volume of his sales was in the neighborhood of £300 a month, a very respectable amount for an aspiring physician.

Edith Clare Meddock of Sussex, England, great granddaughter of Junius Smith, the "father of the Atlantic liner", has presented the Society a few papers, miscellaneous newspaper clippings, and notes gathered by the donor, for a magazine article. Among the lot is a letter from Dr. Jeremiah Day informing Junius Smith that Yale had conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Laws; Benjamin Silliman's letter of congratulation; the diploma from Yale, a certificate of Honorary Membership in the Connecticut Historical Society dated December 5, 1843 and the certificate of admission to the Connecticut Bar, dated November 6, 1805.

Junius Smith was born in Watertown, Conn. in 1780. After graduating from Yale in 1802, he attended Tapping Reeve's law school in Litchfield and opened a law office in New Haven. He soon was sent to London to appeal a case before the Court of Admiralty and from that time on, London was his home.

As a successful merchant, he became interested in ocean steamships and organized the British and American Steam Navigation Company whose steamship "Sirius" started the first permanent transatlantic steam service in 1838.

Considerable correspondence is still in the possession of the donor, which we trust will eventually be safely transported to our collections.

Reid Dana Macafee presented us a 60 paged typescript

index of names mentioned in *Old Tioga Point and Early Athens* by Mrs. Louise (Welles) Murray, published in 1908. The book both historically and genealogically was a splendid contribution to the study of that locality. This index makes that material available to all. Being interested in the families mentioned, Mr. Macafee has added the maiden names where known and indexed them under both.

The manuscripts acquired during the year and their sources are as follows:

Chester C. Allen, Springfield, Mass.
Supplementary material on Case family.

Lockwood Barr, New York, N. Y.
Family lines of Capt. Nathan Hale, martyr of the American Revolution.

Albert C. Bates, Hartford.
Correspondence of Sidney L. Smith and Dr. G. C. F. Williams, concerning engraving book-plates.
Letter of G. F. Perkins relative to B. D. Perkins and his electric tractors.
Notes on early Hartford theaters and circuses.
Minutes of Alumni Association of Episcopal Academy of Connecticut (Cheshire), 1877-1889.
Photostats of manuscripts, broadsides, etc. relating to the American Revolution. 8 mss. & prints.
Miscellaneous letters, copies of poems and writings, long writing probably by Dr. G. C. F. Williams.

Mrs. Bertha L. H. Benn, Hartford.
Glen: Genesis of a Scots family. N. Y., 1939.

Elmer Milton Bennett, Westwood, Mass.
Cornelius Delavan of Stamford, Conn. and some of his descendants.

Mrs. Almira A. Bissell, Hartford.
Notes on the Pond family of Branford and Milford.
Notes on Thomas Kimberly of New Haven and Stratford.
Martha Morrill Lay—History of her life.
Records of the Hale family.

Homer W. Brainard, Amherst, Mass.
Notes on the Ames, Brace, Crow, Darbe, Fitch, Fuller, Gilbert, Langrell, Marble, Parish, Scudder, Sexton, Shaw, Strong families.
Notes on the White-Worthington family and West Barnstable and Watertown, Mass.
Genealogy of the Gilbert Family. With notes and letters. (4 boxes)

William Murray Brown, Waterbury.
Notes on the Brown family in Vermont.

G. E. Bushnell, Santa Monica, Calif.
Bushnell family notes.
Mrs. Marjorie S. Carmody, Le Ray, N. Y.
Inscriptions from Wyoming Village Cemetery, Wyoming, N. Y.
Henry A. Castle, Plainville.
Four Episodes of history of Congregational Church of Plainville, Conn., 1840-1940.
Mrs. Ada R. Chase, Norwich.
Copy of Norwich Falls church records, 1827-1842. Admissions, Dismissions, Members.
David Sanders Clark, Cambridge, Mass.
American travelers and observers in the British Isles, 1850-1875, 1875-1909.
Letters of Col. Nathan Whiting.
Manuscripts relating to Israel Putnam in Mass. Hist. Society.
Estate of Faith Collins, Hartford.
Volume of clippings and manuscript recipes compiled by Mrs. Rose Terry Cooke of Winsted.
Ralph H. Gabriel, New Haven.
Testing of Benjamin Gold, Cornwall Puritan. Paper read before C. H. S. March 4, 1941.
Florence T. Gay, Farmington.
Paper on schools and schoolmasters of Farmington.
Notebooks containing cemetery inscriptions copied by the late Julius Gay from various local cemeteries. (69)
Thompson R. Harlow, South Glastonbury.
Copper mining in Connecticut. Paper read before C. H. S., March 7, 1939.
Rising family, marriages and cemetery inscriptions.
Mrs. Mary Hoss Headman, Knoxville, Tenn.
Lord-Waid Bible records.
Mrs. J. Coolidge Hills, Hartford.
Diary of J. Coolidge Hills for 1875.
Diaries of Albert E. Hills, 1864, 1866 and 1867.
Seven documents on parchment written in French, certificates, diplomas, etc.
H. E. Hitchcock, West Hartford.
Descendants of Joseph H. Johnson and Frances D. (Eggleston) Johnson.
May Atherton Leach, Philadelphia, Pa.
Chronicles of the Bement Family in America.
Francis T. Maxwell, Rockville.
Papers relating to the Rockville Manufacturing Company, 1826.
Autographs of Abraham Lincoln (1) and William Lovejoy. (2)
Horace G. W. Moore, Hartford.
Descendants of George and Frances Adams.
Supplement to "Genealogy of William and Elizabeth Tuttle" by G. F. Tuttle.

Arria D. Owen and Esther B. Owen, Hartford.
Daybook and Ledger of Thomas Scott Boardman, 1852-1879.

Mrs. Judson B. Root, Hartford.
Calkins-Caulkins from photostatic copy of MSS. "Early Families of New London & Vicinity."
Hard, Harde, Heard, Hord entries from Barbour Index of Conn. Vital Records.

Helen E. Royce, Hartford.
Miscellaneous 19th century letters, deeds, etc. (14)

May Sherwood, Danbury.
Some Connecticut Legends. Paper read before the C. H. S. Jan. 7, 1941.

Mrs. Emma A. F. Smith, Harrison, N. Y.
Genealogical notes on the Flint and Tilden families.

Mrs. Herbert R. Spencer, Erie, Pa.
Spencer descendants of Gerard Spencer the emigrant. (Blueprint chart)

Edgar F. Waterman, Hartford.
Exhibition of penmanship made by W. F. Tuttle, May, 1827.

Wesleyan University, Middletown.
Account book of Moses Cole, 1800-1838.
Record book of Conn. Society of Order of Founders & Patriots of America, 1897-1902.
Daybook, Killingworth, 1737-1740, belonging to Benjamin Gale.

Mrs. Florence Johnson Whiton, Springfield, Mass.
Bible record of the Beckwith family.

Charles B. Whittelsey, Hartford.
Letters to Mr. Whittelsey from soldiers during the 1st World War. (4 boxes)

Howard A. Willard, West Hartford.
Bible record of the Burritt family.

Purchases.
Charter of Colchester Railway Company, 1847.
Cashbook, ledger and journal for 1861-64, Colchester, of Hayward Rubber Co. (3)
Autograph album of Katie C. Camp, Hartford, 1861.
Deed, Mar. 21, 1796 and miscellaneous letters of S. A. Washington.
Three small account books.
Record of births in New Hartford, and vicinity, 1850-1886. (Mostly Cheshire births)
Records of Madison Division No. 71. Order of Sons of Temperance, 1849-1852.
Family papers of the Pierce family.
Book of records of the stagecoach, "Telegraph", Hartford, 1842-1846.
Records of Natchaug School District No. 6, Chaplin, Conn., 1841-1875.
Account book, 1843.

County histories of the U. S., Salt Lake City, Utah, 1941.
Stagecoach records, from Hartford, 1844-1849.
Ancestral lines of Lucretia W. Smith (includes Smith, Douglas, Gorham and others).
List of Stonington school children, 1835.
Two diaries, 1776, 1800, Stonington.
Letters by James Dixon, 1855-1867. (24)
Letters by Truman Smith, 1842-1883. (17)
Letters by William A. Buckingham, 1860-1874. (38)
Miscellaneous autographs. (54)
Diary of Palmer Bill of Bozrah.
Letter books of Henry Halsey, Windsor. (2)

Bible Records

Abell, Barrows, Beckwith, Bedortha, Bemis, Bishop, Bliss, Burritt, Camp, Carpenter, Chaffee, Chapin, Chapman, Daggett, Daly, Decker, DeWolf, Dunwell, Elmer, Evans, Fish, Flint, Graves, Green, Grover, Harvey, Hawley, Hollister, Howard, Howes, Jopp, Keeney, Kellogg, Knight, Lord, McTigue, Manchester, Nelson, Palmer, Phelps, Prescott, Ranney, Reynolds, Rice, Rogers, Shepard, Standish, Tollentine, Temple, Waid, Warriner, Waterhouse, Weeks, White, Whitney.

Manuscript Genealogies

Adams, Ames, Brace, Brown, Bushnell, Calkins, Case, Crow, Darbe, Delavan, Fitch, Flint-Tilden, Fuller, Gilbert, Hale (2), Hard, Johnson, Kimberley, Langrell, Marble, Parish, Pierce, Pond, Rising, Scudder, Sexton, Smith, Strong, White-Worthington.

Printed Genealogies

Abbot-Babcock, Abell, Andrews, Allen-Sherman, Ashby, Atwood, Ball-Bruen, Bartlett-Allen, Beard, Beaver, Bement, Bennett, Bosworth (2), Burritt, Carter-Sharpe, Chaffee, Clough-Chamberlain, Compton, Corson, Crary, Crosby, Dailey, Denison, Denslow, Dod, Eaton, Eddy, Fairchild, Flint, Glen, Hampton, Harlow, Hart, Havens, Knowlton, Koon-Coons, Langworthy, McIntire, McMillen, Moss, Nichols-Brown-Moore, Perkins, Perry, Pillsbury, Pope, Pratt, Robinson, Rust, Scholl, Skilton, Stark, Teall, Tingley, Tuttle, Upson, Vose, Wheelock, White, Whittier, Williams, Wood (2), Woodward, Woodworth, Woolsey.

Genealogical Charts

Brown, Moore, Shepard, Spencer.

The following titles were issued privately during the year and have not appeared in any standard check list. For this reason, I feel it important to call attention to them, since they relate to Connecticut.

Andrus, Silas.
The Andrus Bindery: a history of the shop 1831-1838. Hartford, 1940.
45 p. 23¼ cm.

Biggs, Charles Lewis.
Civil War diary of Capt. Uriah Nelson Parmelee, a son of Guilford. Guilford, [1940].
11 p. 23 cm.
William Leete Co-Founder of Guilford. 1940.
29 p. 22½ cm.

Burr, Nelson R.
A History of St. John's Church, Hartford, Conn. 1841-1941. [Hartford, 1941].
95 p. 24¼ cm.

Child, Elizabeth L., Chairman.
Fairfield, Conn., Tercentenary, 1639-1939. Fairfield, 1940.
77 p. 23 cm.

Harlow, Thompson R.
Early Hartford Printers. Hartford, 1940.
12 p. 26½ cm.

Stowe, B. L.
Recollections of Milford, 1940.
20 p. 23 cm.

Vuilleumier, Pierre Du Pont.
First Congregational Church of Woodstock, Conn. Putnam, 1940.
28 p. 23½ cm.

Welles, Edwin Stanley.
The Life and public services of Thomas Welles, Fourth Governor of Connecticut. Wethersfield, 1940.
18 p. 23½ cm.

Other books of more than passing interest were:

Adams, James Truslow, editor.
Dictionary of American History. New York, 1940. 6 vols.

Allis, Marguerite.
Not Without Peril. New York, 1941. 405 p.
A novel based on the life of Jemima Sartwell. The *Narrative of Titus King*, published by the Society in 1938, is one of the sources for this book.

Ayres, Harral.
The Great Trail of New England. Boston, 1940. 444 p.
Story of the Connecticut path with related historical collections of the Indians.

Bolles, Joshua K.
Father was an editor. New York, 1940. 284 p.
Reminiscences of the author's father, editor of the *New Milford Gazette* in the '90s and early 1900s.

Bonn, John Louis.
So falls the elm tree. New York, 1940. 287 p.
A biography of the founder of St. Francis Hospital.

Gabriel, Ralph Henry.

Elias Boudinot Cherokee and His America. Norman, Okla., 1941. 190 p.

The paper titled "The Testing of Benjamin Gold, Cornwall Puritan," read at the March meeting, was based on this book.

Haven, C. T. and Belden, F. A.

History of the Colt Revolver and other arms . . . from 1836 to 1940. New York, 1940. 709 p.

We have 17 boxes of correspondence of Samuel Colt.

Laughlin, Ledlie Irwin.

Pewter in America: Its Makers and Their Marks. Boston, 1940. 2 vols.

Contains much information on pewterers of the Connecticut Valley.

Niles, Blair.

East by Day. New York, 1941. 330 p.

A novel based on the famous Amistad case.

Wellington, Barrett R.

The Mystery of Elizabeth Canning. New York, 1940. 209 p.

A new presentation of the celebrated case. Descendants of Elizabeth Canning live today in this section.

Wilson, Forrest.

Crusader in crinoline. The life of Harriet Beecher Stowe. Philadelphia, 1941. 706 p.

A biography of the author of *Uncle Tom's Cabin.*

In December, 1933, we received the sum of $5,000 under the will of Lucy O. Mather, in memory of her father, Horace E. Mather. It was stipulated that the income was to be used for the purchase of genealogies of families settled in America before the year 1700, including English works bearing on such families, printed parish registers of England and church and town records of New England. For several years the bulk of the income has been allowed to accumulate. Last spring and summer we took advantage of the extremely favorable rate of exchange and spent the majority of this accumulated income for English books. Back files were purchased and subscriptions entered for such publications as:

Surrey Record Society
Canterbury and York Society
Oxford Historical Society
Hampshire Record Society
Durham and Northumberland Parish Registers
Kent Records
Lancashire Parish Register Society
and Buckinghamshire Parish Registers.

We were also able to bring up to date a few genealogical series that the Watkinson Library has been unable in recent years to maintain. Among these were:

Devon and Cornwall Record Society
Parish Register Society
Gloucestershire Notes and Queries
and Wiltshire Notes and Queries.

Mention should be made of my indebtedness to Dr. Arthur Adams for preparing lists of English records from which these purchases were made.

To further supplement our growing collection of English ancestral material, we succeeded in securing a set of the *Complete Peerage.*

President Waterman also presented us *Scot's Peerage* founded on Wood's edition of Sir R. Douglas's *Peerage of Scotland.* This valuable set is now available for the first time in the city.

Nathaniel Hayward, inventor and manufacturer of rubber products, organized in 1847 a stock company called the Hayward Rubber Company. Hayward was manager of this Colchester industry until 1854 when he became president, a position he occupied until his death in 1865. We secured by purchase the cash, ledger and journal books of this company for the years 1861-1864. These records give a valuable picture of the functions of this concern.

At the same time we secured the following scarce pamphlets:

(1) Some account of Nathaniel Hayward's experiments with India Rubber, which resulted in discovering the invaluable compound of that article with sulphur. (2) Application of Nathaniel Hayward for an extension of his patent for his invention for using sulphur with India Rubber, before the Committee of Patents. (3) Application of Nathaniel Hayward for an extension of his patent before the Committee on Patents.

These give an account of the discovery by Hayward that sulphur on rubber eliminates the stickiness. Charles Goodyear accidentally dropped this combination on a red hot stove which resulted in a process afterwards known as "vulcanization".

Among the numerous land companies organized during the eighteenth century, by residents of Connecticut, were the Con-

necticut Delaware first and second Companies. These, like the Susquehannah Company, dealt with land in what is now the northern part of Pennsylvania. Connecticut claimed this region under its Charter of 1662 by which the colony extended westward to the "South Sea". The land of the Connecticut Delaware first Company lay east of, and bordering that claimed by the Susquehannah Company. Little is known of the Delaware Company other than that it had laid out and presumably disposed of a number of townships in Westmoreland, then considered a part of Litchfield County. The Society recently procured a grant by the company to Theophilus Huntington, Joel Tilden and Eleazer Baldwin, all of Lebanon, Grafton County, New Hampshire, of the township of Columbia, a few miles south of the present town of Equinunk, Wayne County, Pennsylvania. This interesting document was printed in the April *Bulletin* of the Society.

At the sale of the remainder of the library of Dr. George Clinton Fairchild Williams, we were able to secure several items of value. The most important of these was a record book kept by the father of Dr. Williams, Dr. William Cook Williams. In it are recorded with notes, Births in New Hartford in 1850, New Milford in 1851-54, and in Cheshire from 1855-1889.

Last summer Edmund Thompson and myself were examining a box of maps in one of our basement rooms. Occasionally we found one of Connecticut after 1800 in which he was interested. Finally we came to the bottom of the box with only a small package yet to be examined. Imagine our surprise to find wrapped there, a very rare 1777 map of Connecticut, that has been attributed to Bernard Romans. It was in four sections, but fitted together without appreciable loss of face. Up until a few years ago, the example of this map in the Huntington Library was unique. A short while ago another was secured by the John Carter Brown Library. It differs slightly from the Huntington copy, suggesting at least two different states of the plate. Our copy, the first state, and the John Carter Brown, agree. It is mounted on a *Connecticut Courant* for July 28, 1777.

The museum has added twenty-six separate items during the past year. Miss Helen E. Royce presented among other

things, three thin metal insignia that were worn by members of the Wide-Awakes.

Our President, Mr. Waterman, gave us a water color painting showing a grove of trees. This was the work of our late member, Ruel Crompton Tuttle.

From the late Mrs. Mabel Kinney Tyler, of Windsor, we received the Revolutionary War sword of Lieutenant Timothy Phelps Kinney.

The First Congregational Society of Putnam deposited with us the following objects, all made of pewter and in excellent condition:

Two plates 13½ inches in diameter with maker's name, Samuel Hamlin, on the bottom.

Tankard about 13 inches high marked "The Gift/ of Deacon Elezar Batman/ to the first Church of Christ/ in Killingly/ 1737.//

Tankard about 13 inches high marked "Peter Aspinwall, G., F: C. K. 1739." Maker's name was S. Ellis.

Baptismal basin 10¼ inches in diameter.

And 8 cups without handles.

Among the articles presented by Mrs. J. Coolidge Hills were:

The pen said to have been used by Secretary Stanton when he wrote the dispatches announcing the assassination of President Lincoln.

Photographs of Connecticut Historical Society Field Days, the Wallingford disaster and the Old Stone House in Guilford.

In December, Miss Daisy Grou, of Hartford, presented to the Society the portraits of her grandparents, Eli and Mehitabel (Smith) Gilman. Eli Gilman was a looking glass maker in Hartford and built the building on the corner of Main Street and Central Row that was known as the Gilman block, later as the Hungerford block and is now the site of the building of the Hartford-Connecticut Trust Company.

From the estate of Lucy Pratt Mitchell, we have received an antique cherry high boy that belonged to the great-great-grandfather of the donor, Judge Stephen Mix Mitchell. At the same time we received three framed photographs of Judge Mitchell, his wife and their son, Walter Mitchell, a charter member of this Society. These are photographs of portraits that have been in our possession since 1878.

Last fall the Frick Art Reference Library photographed

many of our portraits and miniatures. This not only enabled us to remove much dust from the paintings, but by comparison with others, the Frick Library was able to assign our miniature of Silas Deane, (No. 155) to Charles Willson Peale. It is also possible that No. 114, Asahel Nettleton, may be attributed to Samuel Lovett Waldo and William Jewett, who had a successful painting firm for many years in New York. We now have prints of all those taken, for possible use in the future.

Unfortunately, the Society has no fund with which repairs can be made to our museum pieces. Some years ago, Vice-President George Dudley Seymour, had a number of our portraits restored. This was a much needed project, but many still are in need of restorative work that we can not afford. Many of our other relics are badly in need of some expert attention; particularly is this true of our cane and rush-bottomed chairs.

This year I am privileged to announce that through the generosity of Vice-President Newton C. Brainard, and Charles L. Taylor, a sunflower chest dating back to seventeenth century Wethersfield, has been skillfully restored to its original state. Mr. Brainard, an authority on this type of chest, supervised its repair. In order to prevent any future question, it was first photographed. The moldings and ornaments have been replaced where necessary and several patches were made where the wood was rotted. The chest has been finished with a coat of linseed oil and a rubbing of wax. The red and black paint is believed to duplicate in color and position the original paint of which traces were found.

The museum continues to excite considerable interest. Although terribly crowded and badly in need of rearrangement and cleaning, visitors are always impressed with the fine historical relics in our possession. This spring we attempted to prepare a special exhibit, but to our dismay, discovered that it would be necessary to consult the old accession volumes for data before explanatory labels could be prepared. Since this is a never ending task and one that would occupy far too much time, it has driven home to me the fact that something must be done. We should periodically change our cases, but with the present set up, it is next to impossible.

To rectify this situation, we must catalogue all the museum

pieces, not only those in the museum proper, but also those stored in our stack rooms and in our basement storage rooms. The imperativeness of doing this job now, is obvious to you all.

We have decided to use a system accepted by numerous museums. Each piece is listed on three cards: one for the donor, a subject card, and last but not least, a location card. We first intend to do the six hundred odd pieces listed in the Museum accession register that was started in May 1927. When that is completed, we will start with the earliest record books and transcribe the information to cards. When they are all copied, Mr. Bates' assistance in locating the objects will be most indispensable. Although the project will require the services of Miss Hoxie and our stenographer most of the summer, it will be a job well done and will more than pay for itself in time saved in the future.

The magazine section of the *Hartford Courant* has recently run a series of photographs of several of our museum items. Short articles on Elder Brewster's chest, William H. Brown's silhouette of the De Witt Clinton and an old pewter inkwell, have already appeared.

In November the Society played a prominent part in the historical exhibit held in commemoration of the 500th anniversary of printing from movable type. The celebration was sponsored by the Hartford Printers and allied trades and resulted in one of the most widely talked of programs in the country. The historical exhibit was but one feature of the observance, yet excited nationwide comment. Through the courtesy of friends, the main pillars of the general exhibit were the *Gutenberg Bible,* the *Doctrina Breve,* the *Bay Psalm Book* and the *Saybrook Platform.* The Connecticut section, in which the Society played the major role, featured many of our most rare imprints. So far as was possible, the first item printed in each Connecticut town up to 1800 was shown. In many instances unique copies were used. Between 1764 and 1800 there were twelve different printers in Hartford and examples of each printer's work was displayed. Under the heading "Connecticut Comes of Age" an attempt was made to give a cross section of books available here during the eighteenth century. This included such printed matter as historical items,

proclamations, bills of credit, maps, laws, election sermons, registers, music books, medical books, almanacs, slavery items, literature and poetry, instruction, biography, societies and institutions and those miscellaneous items that did not fit into any of these classes. A striking catalogue of 65 pages was prepared, the Connecticut part of which was done by your Librarian with the assistance of the State Library. It has achieved a wide circulation and caused much favorable comment. Mr. Bates prepared the preface in which he ably outlined the development of printing in Connecticut.

Aside from the physical preparation of the exhibit proper, your Librarian prepared three articles used in the publicity program that were printed in one of the daily papers. Excerpts from these appeared in New York papers. The one titled "Early Hartford Printers" was especially printed by John M. K. Davis as a keepsake for the Columbiad Club.

As a result of the exhibit it was noted that the Farmington Library lacked the only imprint of that town; Andrew Law's *Psalmody* printed in 1779. The engraved plates were the work of a Farmington man, Joel Allen. Securing a duplicate, and with the approval of the original donor, this copy was presented to the Farmington Library.

We have also exchanged with the American Antiquarian Society duplicate volumes of the *United States Gazette*, printed in Philadelphia from 1809-12. In return we received genealogies, duplicates of ones in their collection.

We believe we have solved the problem of making corrections in genealogies and local histories. Even the most careful compilers make mistakes often times on facts that are likely to throw searchers completely off the track. Now, instead of writing corrections in the books or slipping in paper notations, both detestable habits and most unsatisfactory, we are numbering each error or addition, wherever found. Then all the data available is typed and placed in a loose leaf book beside the corresponding number. Since the installation of this method a few short months ago, we have not only received hearty approbation for the idea as a whole, but genealogists are now glad to correct or give us additional material when thus assured it will not be buried or lost. The idea is not original, but one that has evolved from systems already in operation in several

like institutions. Perhaps the only drawback will be the large number of corrections and additions that are being brought to our attention.

In the October *Bulletin* it was announced that our Vice-President, George Dudley Seymour, Esq., had presented us the remaining copies of *Births, Marriages and Deaths returned from Hartford, Windsor and Fairfield,* edited by Edwin Stanley Welles. The income from the sale of these books is to revert to the principal of the Welles Fund, subject to the stipulations of that fund. Recently Mr. Welles gave us six copies of a pamphlet titled: *The Life and Public Services of Thomas Welles, Fourth Governor of Connecticut.* This was read at the Welles Family Reunion in Coventry last summer and a few weeks ago before the May meeting of the Society. The sale of these publications is also to revert to the principal of the Welles Fund.

In conclusion, I should like to express my indebtedness to the President, Mr. Waterman. In all instances he has been most helpful and encouraging. The other officers, particularly the members of the Library Committee, have been liberal with their time to discuss with me various library questions. Mr. Bates continues to be of invaluable assistance. His knowledge and willingness has been most useful in solving the problems that are bound to arise during a year.

Miss Hoxie performs her duties efficiently. From genealogical matters to library routine, her days are well filled. At odd moments, she has been able to start a check list of printed portraits of Connecticut men. Though far from completed, it has already proven its usefulness.

Miss Ellis, though hindered by poor health much of the year, has continued to produce the competent work we have come to expect from her. Much of our *Bulletin* copy, index to the Suffield Church Records and copies of Barbour's cemetery inscriptions have been the products of her typewriter.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMPSON R. HARLOW,
Librarian.

CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Report of

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, TREASURER

Balance Sheet, April 30, 1941

ASSETS

Real Estate, Schedule "D"	$211,770.00	
Library, " "	350,000.00	
Museum, " "	100,000.00	
Furnishings, " "	2,500.00	
Investments—		
Bonds, " "	100,861.85	
Stocks, " "	344,813.88	
Mortgage Loans, Schedule "D"	28,221.00	
Savings Banks, " "	48,551.42	
Cash, Schedule "D"	10,035.20	
Petty Cash	100.00	
		$1,196,853.35

FUNDS

Principal of Trust Funds, Schedule "B"	$1,188,324.08	
Plus gain to Consolidated Fund, Schedule "E"	4,581.97	
Income of Trust Funds, Schedule "C"	3,834.50	
Surplus General Fund, Schedule "A"	112.80	
		$1,196,853.35

Schedule "A"

Statement of Income for General Expenses

Income:			
Annual Dues			$1,003.00
Miscellaneous Income			9.32
Unrestricted Funds			
Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	$2,942.13		
Sophia F. H. Coe Fund	45.09		
General Fund	606.18		
George Henry Fitts Fund	239.72		
James J. Goodwin Fund	775.14		
E. Stevens Henry Fund	23.63		
James B. Hosmer Fund	214.75		
William W. Knight Fund	343.60		
Edward B. Peck Fund	1,395.90		
Publication Fund (Bulletin)	491.52		
William H. Putnam Fund	8.79		
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	343.60		
James Shepard Fund	54.81		
Edwin Simons Fund	231.94		
Jane T. Smith Fund	42.95		
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	429.51		
Mary K. Talcott Fund	262.00		
Jane Tuttle Fund	108.54	$8,559.80	

Less transfers to principal of the following funds:			
George Henry Fitts Fund	$239.72		
James J. Goodwin Fund	400.14		
James Shepard Fund	54.81	694.67	7,865.13
			$8,877.45
Less:			
General Expenses			
Salaries		$4,781.56	
Telephone		37.90	
Postage and Stationery		202.65	
Printing		340.86	
Binding		180.52	
Library Supplies		197.24	
Repairs		116.87	
Cartage and storage		595.00	
Fees		888.16	
Insurance		261.32	
Incidental expenses		123.82	
Bulletin account		419.70	
Expenses of speaker		19.14	8,164.74
Gain for the year			$712.71

Statement of the General Fund

Surplus Income

		1940	
Gain for the year	$712.71	May 1, Overdraft Balance	$599.91
		1941	
		Apr. 30, Balance of Income	112.80
	$712.71		$712.71

Schedule "B"

Principal of Trust Funds

Ancient Vital Records Fund	$881.17
*Lucius B. Barbour Fund	452.00
*William F. J. Boardman Fund	846.18
*Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	2,186.47
*Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	68,500.00
*Sophia F. Hall Coe Fund	1,050.00
*Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	148.50
*George Henry Fitts Fund	5,761.59
General Fund	465,272.11
*James J. Goodwin Fund	18,355.49
*E. Stevens Henry Fund	550.00
*Charles J. Hoadly Fund	2,544.21
*George E. Hoadley Fund	514,956.50
*James B. Hosmer Fund	5,000.00
*Newman Hungerford Fund	2,000.00
*William W. Knight Fund	8,000.00
*Horace Mather Fund	5,000.00
*Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	93.00
*Edward B. Peck Fund	32,500.00

* Included in Consolidated Fund.

Permanent General Fund	1,014.86
*Publication Fund	9,285.95
*William H. Putnam Fund	207.07
*Thomas Robbins Fund	6,553.53
*Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	8,000.00
*Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	227.67
*James Shepard Fund	1,317.38
*Edwin Simons Fund	5,400.00
*Jane T. Smith Fund	1,000.00
*Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	10,000.00
*Mary K. Talcott Fund	6,100.00
*Jane Tuttle Fund	5,000.00
*E. Stanley Welles Fund	120.40
	$1,188,324.08

Schedule "C"

Income of Trust Funds

Held for Special Purposes

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund	$23.15
William F. J. Boardman Fund	17.78
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	57.79
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	55.85
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	41.10
Newman Hungerford Fund	7.19
Horace E. Mather Fund	56.08
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	1.13
Permanent General Fund	31.45
Publication Fund—Surplus Income	3,316.51
Thomas Robbins Fund	36.88
Thomas Robbins Fund—Surplus Income	184.34
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	2.92
Edwin Stanley Welles Fund	2.33
	$3,834.50

Schedule "D"

Inventory of Assets

	Book Value	
Real Estate	$211,770.00	
Library	$350,000.00	
Museum	100,000.00	
Furnishings	2,500.00	
	$452,500.00	
Bonds:		Market Value
$10,000 Brooklyn Union Gas Co. 5%-1945	$11,200.00	$10,950.00
7,000 Great Northern Railway Co. 4%-1946	7,307.62	7,210.00

* Included in Consolidated Fund.

4,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959, Certificate of Deposit (interest irregular)	$1,460.00	$1,400.00
2,000 New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. 6%-1948	720.00	575.00
2,000 Province of Ontario Deb. 4½%-1951	2,138.90	1,900.00
6,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2½%-1950/52	6,436.88	6,465.00
31,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	31,081.25	33,305.63
40,000 U. S. of A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	40,517.20	43,837.50
	$100,861.85	$105,643.13

Stocks:

50 shs. Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00	$5,700.00
190 " Aetna Insurance Co.	8,172.50	9,642.50
820 " Aetna Life Insurance Co.	27,916.00	21,525.00
117 " American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	14,485.39	17,550.00
50 " Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	4,736.87	3,325.00
10 " Bank of New York & Trust Co.	4,644.00	3,510.00
40 " Bankers Trust Co. of New York	2,425.00	2,020.00
36 parts Chatham-Phoenix Corporation Certificate of Beneficial Interest	0	0
20 shs. Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00	1,645.00
32 " Collins Co.	3,760.00	4,576.00
250 " Commonwealth Edison Co. of Chicago	7,680.28	6,531.25
600 " Connecticut General Life Insurance Co.	20,300.00	13,050.00
115 " Connecticut Light & Power Co.	6,165.00	4,772.50
156 " Connecticut Power Co.	6,080.01	6,084.00
100 " Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, Inc.	2,262.49	1,925.00
100 " Consolidated Edison Co. $5 pfd.	8,778.36	10,200.00
11 " Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00	1,644.50
20 " Guaranty Trust Co. of New York	5,035.00	5,320.00
304 " Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	20,923.54	20,368.00
603 " Hartford Electric Light Co.	24,201.27	31,657.50
72 " Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00	5,976.00
310 " Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	8,305.00	8,680.00
740 " National Fire Insurance Co.	28,895.51	41,255.00
14 " Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00	1,340.50
600 " Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00	49,500.00
25 " Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	5,000.00	7,000.00
10 " Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. 7% pfd.	1,136.25	1,735.00
40 " Southern New England Telephone Co.	5,271.50	5,840.00
63 " Tampa Electric Co. com.	1,731.91	1,425.38
220 " Travelers Insurance Co.	82,114.00	86,680.00
22 " Union Pacific R. R. Co. pfd.	1,848.00	1,782.00
90 " United Illuminating Co.	10,100.00	9,090.00
	$344,813.88	$391,350.13

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 281 Grandview Terrace, Hartford, Conn.)	$7,100.00

Mary F. Welsh . . . . . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 147-149 Madison St., Hartford, Conn.)	2,970.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci . . . . . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28 Price Boulevard, West Hartford, Conn.)	4,550.00
Bridget M. Moloney . . . . . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28-30 Hamilton St., Hartford, Conn.)	6,800.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-125 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	972.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5-1757 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn., in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	2,916.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P34-573 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 328 North Main St., West Hartford, Conn., in the name of Helen K. and Kenneth E. French)	1,961.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P48-1808 . (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 157-159 Campfield Ave., Hartford, Conn., in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.)	952.00
	$28,221.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Dime Savings Bank	617.93
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Farmington Savings Bank	184.34
Mechanics Savings Bank	2,570.67
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,535.53
Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75
Mechanics Savings Bank	1,014.86
Society for Savings	633.16
Society for Savings	18,140.66
State Savings Bank	3,222.27
State Savings Bank	881.17
State Savings Bank	2,756.26
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09
	$48,551.42

Cash Balances:

	Balances
Lucius B. Barbour Fund—Income	$23.15
William F. J. Boardman Fund—Income . .	17.78
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund—Income . . .	57.79
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund—Income	55.85
Consolidated Fund—Principal	3,434.67

General Fund—Income	12.80
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—Income	41.10
George E. Hoadley Fund—Principal	6,238.24
Newman Hungerford Fund—Income	7.19
Horace E. Mather Fund—Income	56.08
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund—Income	1.13
Permanent General Fund—Income	31.45
Publication Fund, Surplus Income	15.84
Thomas Robbins Fund—Income	36.88
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund—Income	2.92
Edwin Stanley Welles Fund, Income	2.33
	$10,035.20

Schedule "E"

Gains and Losses to Consolidated Fund

Accumulated net gains, as per previous account			$3,207.19
Sale 5 shs. Collins Co.			
Amount realized from sale	$700.00		
Amount of inventory	475.00		
Gain		$225.00	
Sale 24 shs. Manufacturers Trust Co.			
Amount realized from sale	$922.74		
Amount of inventory	462.00		
Gain		460.74	
Sale 22 shs. Continental Insurance Co.			
Amount realized from sale	$845.02		
Amount of inventory	668.97		
Gain		176.05	
Sale 10 shs. United States Steel Corp. 7% pfd.			
Amount realized from sale	$1,279.47		
Amount of inventory	875.00		
Gain		404.47	
Sale 20 shs. Chase National Bank			
Amount realized from sale	$649.02		
Amount of inventory	540.50		
Gain		108.52	
Total gains for year ending April 30, 1941			1,374.78
			$4,581.97

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS

ANCIENT VITAL RECORDS FUND

This fund was instituted in 1907 and was raised by subscriptions of from $1 to $100. It is to be used in the publishing of the ancient town records of Connecticut, the sale of which it is expected will secure the continuance of the fund.

Principal

Deposit— State Savings Bank	$881.17	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$856.90
			From Income	21.27
			Sale of Books	3.00
	$881.17			$881.17

Income

To Principal	$21.27	Interest	$21.27

LUCIUS B. BARBOUR FUND

Established in 1923 by Lucius B. Barbour, a member, who died July 29, 1934, by the gift of copies of Manwaring's "Early Connecticut Probate Records—Hartford District." Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$452.00	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$444.00
			Sale of Books	8.00
	$452.00			$452.00

Income

Books purchased	$22.46	1940 May 1,	Balance of Income	$26.37
1941 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	23.15		Interest	19.24
	$45.61			$45.61

WILLIAM F. J. BOARDMAN FUND

This fund is derived from the sale of copies of the "Boardman Genealogy," "Wethersfield Inscriptions," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry," given to the Society in 1907 by Mr. William F. J. Boardman, a life member, who died November 23, 1912. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of genealogies and town histories, the preference to be given to such volumes as may pertain to families treated of in the "Boardman Genealogy," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry."

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$846.18	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$828.18
			Sale of Books	18.00
	$846.18			$846.18

Income

	Books Purchased .	$71.30	1940	
1941			May 1, Balance of Income	$53.12
Apr. 30, Balance of Income		17.78	Interest . . .	35.96
		$89.08		$89.08

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND

Established in 1892 by a gift from Miss Lucy A. Brainard, a life member, who died December 28, 1908, and was increased by later gifts from her to a total of $1,000, and which is being further increased through the sale of books presented for the purpose by her and by Morgan B. Brainard, Newton C. Brainard and The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company. The income only is to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$2,186.47	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,991.13
		Sale of Books .	5.00
		Transferred from Surplus Income Account . .	190.34
	$2,186.47		$2,186.47

Income

	Books Purchased .	$147.65	1940
1941			May 1, Balance of Income $119.92
Apr. 30, Balance of Income		57.79	Interest . . . 85.52
		$205.44	$205.44

LUCY A. BRAINARD BOOK FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

Transferred to Regular Fund, Deposit, Society for Savings .	$190.34	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$186.88
		Interest . . .	3.46
	$190.34		$190.34

SILAS CHAPMAN, JR., FUND

Established November, 1926, by the receipt of a legacy of $63,370.65 from the estate of Silas Chapman, Jr. of Hartford, a former member, who died September 10, 1925. The legacy was without any restriction, and the income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$68,500.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$68,500.00
	$68,500.00		$68,500.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$2,942.13	Interest . . .	$2,942.13

SOPHIA F. HALL COE FUND

Established in April, 1916, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,017.00 from the estate of Mrs. Sophia F. Hall Coe of Meriden, Connecticut, widow of Levi E. Coe, a former member. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$1,050.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$1,050.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$45.09	Interest . . .	$45.09

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY OF COLONIAL WARS FUND

Established in 1925 by the gift from that Society of a one-half interest in the remaining unsold copies of the "Vital Records of Norwich, 1659-1848," which it had published in two volumes. The income only is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$148.50	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$148.50

Income

1941 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$55.85	1940 May 1, Balance of Income	$49.48
		Interest . . .	6.37
	$55.85		$55.85

CONSOLIDATED FUND

Principal

Bonds:	Book Value		
		1940 May 1, Am't of Fund	$203,026.37
		Transferred from Income:	
$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corp. (Certificate of Deposit) 6-1959 .	$730.00	Fitts Fund . . .	239.72
5,000 Brooklyn Union Gas Co. 5%-1945 .	5,600.00	Goodwin Fund . .	500.14
2,000 N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co. 6-1948 . .	720.00	Shepard Fund . .	54.81
		Welles Fund . .	2.23
		Admission Fees . .	45.00

2,000	Province of Ontario 4½%-1951	2,138.90
15,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1951/54	14,910.94
6,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1952/50	6,436.88
5,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	5,034.13
		$35,570.85

Stocks:

50 shs.	Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00
100 "	Aetna Insurance Co.	4,932.50
140 "	Aetna Life Insurance Co.	2,520.00
62 "	Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co.	7,855.01
25 "	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., pfd.	2,246.25
40 "	Bankers Trust Co.	2,425.00
10 "	Bank of New York & Trust Co.	4,644.00
36 parts	Chatham Phoenix Corp. (Certificate of Beneficial Interest)	.00
20 shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburg R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00
250 "	Commonwealth Edison	7,680.28
33 "	Conn. Light & Power Co.	1,770.00
125 "	Conn. Power Co.	5,125.00
100 "	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.	2,262.49
82 "	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., pfd.	8,056.68
11 "	Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00
20 "	Guaranty Trust Co.	5,035.00
150 "	Hartford Elec. Lt. Co.	9,315.00
50 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	1,025.00
70 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	4,375.00
14 "	Northern Central Ry. Co.	1,281.00
15 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	2,550.00
40 "	So. N. E. Tel. Co.	5,271.50
20 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	8,614.00
22 "	Union Pacific R. R. Co., pfd.	1,848.00
90 "	United Illuminating Co.	10,100.00
		$105,766.71

Sale of Books	157.00
Jane Tuttle Legacy	5,000.00
Transferred from Surplus Accounts of the following:	
Charles Hoadly Fund	191.02
Brainard Book Fund	190.34
Plus:	
Net gain on Securities	1,374.78

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor	$7,100.00
Mary F. Welsh (formerly Nora J. Fay)	2,970.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci	4,550.00
Bridget M. Moloney	6,800.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.	952.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	972.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate	2,916.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate, in the name of E. K. and H. K. French	1,961.00
	$28,221.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,535.53
Society for Savings	18,140.66
State Savings Bank	2,756.26
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
	$37,788.18
Uninvested	3,434.67
	$210,781.41

			$210,781.41

Income

Amortization Expense	$19.32	Dividends	$5,707.62
Distributed to various funds (Income)	8,704.66	Interest	3,016.36
	$8,723.98		$8,723.98

GEORGE HENRY FITTS FUND, In Memory of Colonel Thomas Knowlton

Established in 1925 by a legacy of $10,000 from the estate of George Henry Fitts of Willimantic, Connecticut, a former member, who died January 10, 1925, given in memory of his great-grandfather, Colonel Thomas Knowlton, and to be held as a fund, the income only to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

		1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,521.87
Consolidated Investments	$5,761.59	From Income	239.72
	$5,761.59		$5,761.59

Income

To Principal Account . .	$239.72	Interest . . .	$239.72
	$239.72		$239.72

GENERAL FUND

The fund was established about 1849. Included in it are a gift of $1,000 received from the Pawtucket Bank in 1849; a gift of $1,000 from the City Bank of Hartford in 1852, and a legacy of $1,000 received in 1860 from the estate of David Watkinson, a former member, who died December 13, 1857.

Principal

Library . . .	$350,000.00	1940	
Museum	100,000.00	May 1, Amount of Fund	$465,272.11
Furnishings . . .	2,500.00		
Investments:			
$1,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½% 1953/49 . .	979.38		
25 shs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Ry. Co. pfd.	2,490.62		
67 shs. Conn. Light & Power Co. . . .	3,588.75		
18 shs. Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. pfd.	721.68		
10 shs. Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Ry. Co. pfd. . . .	1,136.25		
State Savings Bank . .	3,222.27		
Society for Savings . .	633.16		
	$465,272.11		$465,272.11

Income

To General Expenses .	$606.18	Dividends	$486.00
		Interest	120.18
	$606.18		$606.18

JAMES J. GOODWIN FUND

Established by a gift of $20,000 made in October, 1915, by Mrs. James J. Goodwin in memory of her husband, a former life member and vice-president, who died June 23, 1915. The income only is to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$18,355.49	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$17,855.35
		From Income .	500.14
	$18,355.49		$18,355.49

Income

To General Expenses . .	$275.00		Interest . . .	$775.14
To Principal Acc't	500.14			
	$775.14			$775.14

E. STEVENS HENRY FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $500 from the estate of the Hon. Edward Stevens Henry of Vernon, Connecticut, a former member and vice-president, who died February 8, 1922. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$550.00	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$550.00
	$550.00			$550.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$23.63		Interest . . .	$23.63
	$23.63			$23.63

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND

Established in 1901 by a gift from Mr. George E. Hoadley, a life member at his death, November 21, 1922, of copies of the Records of the Colony of Connecticut, and a later gift of additional copies and of copies of the Records of the State of Connecticut, in memory of his brother, Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D., sometime president of the Society. The proceeds from the sale of these books constitute the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$2,544.21	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$2,277.19
			Books Sold . .	76.00
			From Surplus Income Account	191.02
	$2,544.21			$2,544.21

Income

	Books Purchased .	$185.60	1940 May 1, Balance of Income	$127.88
1941 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	41.10	Interest . . .	98.82
		$226.70		$226.70

CHARLES J. HOADLY FUND SURPLUS INCOME

Transferred to Regular Account	$191.02	1940 May 1,	Amount of Income	$187.52
			Interest . . .	3.50
	$191.02			$191.02

GEORGE E. HOADLEY FUND

This fund was established by the will of George Edward Hoadley, of West Hartford, Connecticut, who died Nov. 21, 1922, for the purchase of a site and the erection of a fireproof building for the Society. It was received by distribution of his estate on December 19, 1923. The accruing income is to be added to the principal of the fund. In 1935 the Building Fund was merged with this fund.

Principal

Land		$211,770.00	1940	
Bonds:			May 1, Am't of Fund	$502,761.05
			From Income	12,195.45
$5,000	Brooklyn Union Gas Co. 5%-1945	5,600.00		
7,000	Great Northern Railway Ser. "G" 4%-1946	7,307.62		
25,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2½%-1953/49	25,067.74		
25,000	U. S. A. Treasury 2¾%-1954/51	25,606.26		
		$63,581.62		
Stocks:				
90 shs.	Aetna Insurance Co.	$3,240.00		
680 "	Aetna Life Insurance Co.	25,396.00		
55 "	Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	6,630.38		
32 "	Collins Co.	3,760.00		
500 "	Conn. General Life Insurance Co.	20,300.00		
15 "	Conn. Light & Power Co., com.	806.25		
31 "	Conn. Power Co.	955.01		
304 "	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	20,923.54		
453 "	Hartford Electric Light Co.	14,886.27		
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00		
260 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	7,280.00		
670 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	24,520.51		
600 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	22,000.00		
10 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co.	2,450.00		
63 "	Tampa Electric Co., com.	1,731.91		
200 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	73,500.00		
		$231,109.87		
Deposits:				
	Dime Savings Bank	$617.93		
	Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75		
	Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09		
		$2,256.77		
	Uninvested	$6,238.24		
		$514,956.50		$514,956.50

Income

Fee	$624.33	Dividends	$11,751.99
Real Estate Expenses	256.10	Interest	1,356.05
Amortization of Bonds	32.16		
To Principal	12,195.45		
	$13,108.04		$13,108.04

JAMES B. HOSMER FUND

James B. Hosmer, a member and a former president of the Society, who died Sept. 25, 1878, left an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 to the Society. The income from the fund has been designated to general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$214.75	Interest	$214.75

NEWMAN HUNGERFORD FUND

Established in March, 1928, by a legacy of $2,000 from the estate of Newman Hungerford of Harwinton, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 8, 1927. The income only is to be used for the care and increase of the collection of coins bequeathed to the Society by Mr. Hungerford.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$2,000.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$2,000.00

Income

1941 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$7.19	1940 May 1, Balance of Income	$3.52
Coins Purchased	82.24	Interest	85.91
	$89.43		$89.43

WILLIAM W. KNIGHT FUND

Established May, 1934, by a bequest of $8,000 from Dr. William Ward Knight of Hartford, a former member, who died December 4, 1923. The will provides that this legacy be used for the "general uses and purposes" of the Society.

Principal

Consolidated Investments ..	$8,000.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$8,000.00

Income

To General Expenses . .	$343.60	Interest . . .	$343.60

HORACE E. MATHER FUND

Received December, 1933, as a bequest under the will of Lucy O. Mather of Hartford, the sum of $5,000 which was given to be held as a fund in memory of her father, Horace E. Mather, a former member, who died March 13, 1909, the income to be used for the purchase of genealogies of families settled in America before the year 1700, including English works bearing on such families, printed parish registers of England and church and town records of New England.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$5,000.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$5,000.00

Income

1941		1940	
Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$56.08	May 1, Balance of Income	$440.91
Books Purchased .	599.58	Interest . . .	214.75
	$655.66		$655.66

JONATHAN FLYNT MORRIS FUND

Established in 1911 through the gift by the daughters of Mr. Jonathan Flynt Morris, a former member and for many years treasurer, who died January 30, 1899, of copies of the "Morris Register", compiled by him. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only of which is available for the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments .	$93.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund .	$93.00
	$93.00		$93.00

Income

1941		1940	
Apr. 30, Balance of Income	$1.13	May 1, Balance of Income	$3.88
Books Purchased .	6.75	Interest . . .	4.00
	$7.88		$7.88

EDWARD B. PECK FUND

Established May, 1929 by an unrestricted legacy of $25,000 from the estate of Edward B. Peck of Hartford, a former member, who died October 29, 1928. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$32,500.00	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$32,500.00

Income

To General Expenses	$1,395.90		Interest	$1,395.90

PERMANENT GENERAL FUND

This fund was established by a gift to the Society in 1906 to which additions have since been made. The income only is available for whatever purpose the Society sees fit.

Principal

Deposit— Mechanics Savings Bank	$1,014.86	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,014.86

Income

1941 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$31.45	1940 May 1, Balance of Income	$28.09
	Books Purchased	22.00	Interest	25.36
		$53.45		$53.45

PUBLICATION FUND

This fund was established by a legacy of $1,000 received in 1855 from the estate of Thomas Day, a former member and president, who died March 1, 1855. To this have been added a legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Daniel Goodwin in 1880; receipts from the sale of books presented by several members of the Society; the fees received for life memberships and admission fees, and a number of small special contributions.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$9,285.95	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$9,213.95
			Admission Fees	42.00
			Sale of Books	30.00
	$9,285.95			$9,285.95

Income

To General Fund (Bulletin Acc't)	$491.52	Sale of Books	$95.15
		Interest	396.37
	$491.52		$491.52

PUBLICATION FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

Principal

$2,000 Hartford-Aetna Realty Corporation 6%-1959	$730.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$3,194.72
		From Income	105.95
Deposit—Mechanics Savings Bank	2,570.67		
	$3,300.67		$3,300.67

Income

To Surplus Income Principal Account	$105.95		
1941 Apr. 30, Balance of Income	15.84		
	$121.79	Interest	$121.79

WILLIAM H. PUTNAM FUND

Established in October, 1931, through the gift by Mr. William H. Putnam of Hartford, of copies of "The Two Putnams" to be sold for the benefit of the Society. The income only is to be used for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$207.07	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$202.07
		Sale of Books	5.00
	$207.07		$207.07

Income

To General Expenses	$8.79	Interest	$8.79

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND

This "perpetual fund, the avails of which (are) to be applied to the preservation, increase and improvement of the library," inventoried at $4,643.52, was created in 1856 by a residuary clause in the will of Rev. Thomas Robbins, a former member, librarian and corresponding secretary, who died September 13, 1856.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$6,553.53	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$6,553.53

Income

1941			1940		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$36.88	May 1,	Balance of Income	$83.34
	Books Purchased .	328.44		Interest . . .	281.48
				Books Sold . .	.50
		$365.32			$365.32

THOMAS ROBBINS FUND—SURPLUS INCOME

	Deposit—		1940		
	Farmington Savings Bank . .	$184.34	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$179.91
				Interest . . .	4.43
		$184.34			$184.34

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL FUND

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $3,000 from the estate of Dr. Gurdon W. Russell of Hartford, a former life member, who died February 3, 1909, and by the further receipt later in the same year of a legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mrs. Mary I. B. Russell, widow of Dr. Russell. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

	Consolidated		1940		
	Investments .	$8,000.00	May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$8,000.00
		$8,000.00			$8,000.00

Income

	To General				
	Expenses . .	$343.60		Interest . . .	$343.60
		$343.60			$343.60

DR. GURDON W. RUSSELL BOOK FUND

Established in 1910 by the gift of copies of "Descendants of John Russell" from Mrs. Gurdon W. Russell. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income of which only is available for the purchase of historical and genealogical works for the library.

Principal

			1940		
	Consolidated		May 1,	Amount of Fund .	$222.67
	Investments .	$227.67		Books Sold . .	5.00
		$227.67			$227.67

Income

1941			1940		
Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	$2.92	May 1,	Balance of Income	$36.96
	Books Purchased .	43.62		Interest . . .	9.58
		$46.54			$46.54

JAMES SHEPARD FUND

Established in June, 1929, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,727.50 from the estate of James Shepard of New Britain, Connecticut, a former member, who died February 15, 1926. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,317.38	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,262.57
			From Income	54.81
	$1,317.38			$1,317.38

Income

To Principal Acc't	$54.81	Interest	$54.81
	$54.81		$54.81

EDWIN SIMONS FUND

Established December, 1915, by an unrestricted legacy of $5,286.05 from the estate of Edwin Simons of Hartford. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,400.00	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$5,400.00
	$5,400.00			$5,400.00

Income

To General Expenses	$231.94	Interest	$231.94
	$231.94		$231.94

JANE T. SMITH FUND

Established August, 1930, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Mrs. Jane T. Smith of Hartford, a former life member, who died August 22, 1929. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$1,000.00	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$1,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$42.95	Interest	$42.95

ELLEN BATTELL STOECKEL FUND

Established in 1939 by an unrestricted legacy of $10,000 from the estate of Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel of Norfolk, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 5, 1939. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$10,000.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$10,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$429.51	Interest	$429.51

MARY K. TALCOTT FUND

Established in 1920 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mary K. Talcott of Hartford, a former member, who died November 17, 1917. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$6,100.00	1940 May 1, Amount of Fund	$6,100.00

Income

To General Expenses	$262.00	Interest	$262.00

JANE TUTTLE FUND

Established in 1940 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Miss Jane Tuttle of Hartford, Connecticut, a former life member, who died August 20, 1939. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$5,000.00	1940 Aug. 6, Amount of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

To General Expenses	$108.54	Interest	$108.54

EDWIN STANLEY WELLES FUND

Established in 1924 through the gift by Mr. Welles of copies of his "Some Notes on Wampum" and the later gift of "Revolutionary War Letters of Capt. Roger Welles" and "Beginnings of Fruit Culture in Connecticut," together with a gift from George Dudley Seymour, Esquire, of the remaining copies of "Births, Marriages and Deaths Returned from Hartford, Windsor and Fairfield, 1631-1691", edited by Mr. Welles. Proceeds from the sale of these publications, together with interest on the same, are to be allowed to accumulate until they amount to four hundred dollars ($400.), which is established as the principal of the Fund. The income of the Fund, when available, is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Consolidated Investments	$120.40	1940 May 1,	Amount of Fund	$105.17
			Sale of Books	13.00
			From Income	2.23
	$120.40			$120.40

Income

	To Principal Acc't	$2.23		
1941 Apr. 30,	Balance of Income	2.33	Interest	$4.56
		$4.56		$4.56

Hartford, Connecticut, May 1, 1941.

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, *Treasurer.*

The foregoing account and securities listed therein have been examined by me and found correct.

CHARLES S. BISSELL, *Auditor.*

The Connecticut Historical Society was incorporated in May, 1825.

The Society owns one of the best collections of genealogies in this country, and also an excellent library composed of printed records, histories, and other works of reference. It also owns a large and valuable collection of manuscripts.

Much remains to be done. The most pressing needs are for general endowment the income from which will support a building of our own which will afford adequate housing facilities, and funds to be used for the purchase of books and publication purposes.

FORMS OF BEQUEST

(GENERAL)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars to be used at the discretion of said corporation.

(SPECIFIC)

I give and bequeath to the Connecticut Historical Society, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Connecticut, and located in the City of Hartford, in said State, ... dollars, in trust, the income from which to be used for the purposes following, that is to say: (Here specify in detail the purposes.)

Resolution.

By the Special Committee, Appointed to Examine the Present Condition of the Society and Building Possibilities.

Resolved, That we recommend this outline as prepared by the Librarian be adopted at the Annual Meeting as a guide for the officers of the Society in the conduct of its future accessions.

I. Books, pamphlets, periodicals and monographs dealing with the history of Connecticut.

II. Early Connecticut imprints or imprints important to Connecticut.

III. Newspapers.
   a. Hartford papers.
   b. Early newspapers.

IV. Works written by Connecticut authors.

V. Records of public and private institutions in the State.
   a. Churches, religious organizations, schools, colleges and universities.

VI. Records of civic, social and fraternal organizations in the State.

VII. Records of the economic and financial resources and activities in the State.
   a. Annual reports of banks, corporations.
   b. Anniversary booklets or special reports.
   c. Records and old ledgers of business firms, industries and farms.

VIII. All types of manuscript material pertaining to Connecticut.

a. Account books, correspondence and diaries.

IX. Maps, engravings, views, historic pictures and photographs of Connecticut.

X. Scrap books pertaining to Connecticut.

XI. Papers read before the Society.

XII. Biographical material, genealogies and directories pertaining to Connecticut.

a. Genealogical material concerning regions from which Connecticut people came.

b. Genealogical material concerning regions to which Connecticut people have migrated.

XIII. Furniture, portraits and historical relics of Connecticut.

XIV. Material of any nature not included in previous categories which in the opinion of the Librarian and Acquisitions Committee should be included in the collections of the Society.

Resolved further, That the Librarian and a Committee of three, appointed by the President, be authorized to dispose of material which does not come within the scope of the activities of the Society as outlined above. This committee will be appointed annually by the President and will become the Acquisitions Committee of the Society. In the future, all gifts will be subject to the approval of this Committee.

Newton C. Brainard,
Chairman of the Special Committee.

Membership Roll.

Name, Residence, and Date of Admission.

Members Ex Officio.

Governor of Connecticut.

Hurley, Robert A., West Hartford, Jan. 6, 1941.

Lieutenant-Governor of Connecticut.

Shepard, Odell, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1941.

Judges of the Supreme Court of Errors.

Maltbie, William M., Granby, Aug. 1, 1917.
Avery, Christopher L., Groton, Dec. 15, 1920.
Brown, Allyn L., Norwich, Sept. 1, 1921.
Jennings, Newell, Bristol, May 1, 1922.
Ells, Arthur S., Litchfield, June 30, 1923.

Judges of the Superior Court.

Booth, John Richards, Danbury, May 1, 1924.
Dickenson, Edwin C., Wethersfield, Jan. 27, 1925.
Simpson, Ernest C., New Haven, Feb. 5, 1925.
Baldwin, Alfred C., Derby, Oct. 18, 1925.
Booth, John Rufus, New Haven, June 29, 1927.
Foster, Carl, Bridgeport, Oct. 23, 1927.
McEvoy, Frank P., Waterbury, June 5, 1930.
Inglis, Ernest A., Middletown, Dec. 1, 1930.
O'Sullivan, Patrick B., Derby, May 26, 1931.
Cornell, John A., Bridgeport, Jan. 8, 1932.
Wynne, Kenneth, New Haven, Jan. 16, 1936.
Quinlan, Edward J., Norwalk, Feb. 9, 1936.
Munger, Robert L. Ansonia, July 16, 1937.
Daly, Edward J., Hartford, Sept. 22, 1937.
King, John H., Willimantic, May 7, 1940.

Active Members.

Those in *Italics* are Life Members

Adams, Rev. Arthur, Hartford, April 4, 1909.
Ahern, Katharine Cecelia, Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Alcorn, Howard Wells, Suffield, Dec. 1, 1931.
Alcorn, Hugh M., Suffield, April 4, 1911.
Aldridge, Frank, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1939.
Allen, Devere, Wilton, May 19, 1936.
Allen, Mrs. Marie Hollister, Wilton, May 4, 1937.
Allen, Mrs. Minnie A. W., Winsted, June 18, 1936.
Allis, Lucy, Wallingford, May 19, 1936.
Alvord, Muriel, West Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Alvord, Samuel Morgan, Bolton, April 7, 1903.
Anderson, George Pomeroy, Boston, Mass., Nov. 14, 1922.
Andrews, Charles McLean, New Haven, Feb. 5, 1935.
Andrus, William Bradford, West Simsbury, Jan. 2, 1940.
Archibald, Rev. Warren S., Hartford, May 22, 1923.
Arms, Frank Thornton, New London, Jan. 4, 1921.
Armstrong, Horatio H., Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Arnold, Norman Kiefer, Hanover, N. H., May 21, 1935.
Ashe, Mrs. Margaret Kelley, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Avery, Eliza Warren, Norwich, Jan. 2, 1940.
Avery, Irving James, Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Ayres, Harral, Sparta, N. J., Feb. 4, 1936.
Bailey, William Bacon, West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Baldwin, Lyttleton Mathers, West Hartford, May 7, 1940.
Ball, Thomas Raymond, Old Lyme, March 1, 1927.
Ballou, Robert Oleson, Cold Spring, N. Y., May 7, 1940.
Barber, Kenneth Warham, Windsor, March 1, 1927.
Barnard, Ford B., Forest Hills, N. Y., May 4, 1937.
Barnes, Arthur Seth, Bristol, May 4, 1937.
Barney, Austin D., Farmington, March 6, 1934.
Barron, Mary Grey, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Barrows, Mrs. Josephine Brown, New Britain, Feb. 4, 1936.
Bartlett, Mrs. Dorothy Larrabee, West Hartford, April 1, 1941.
Bartlett, Mrs. Elizabeth French, Bryantville, Mass., Nov. 2, 1937.
Bartlett, Mrs. Nellie A., Winter Park, Fla., Dec. 3, 1940.
Bartlett, Raymond Griswold, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1926.
Bates, Albert Carlos, Hartford, July 2, 1889.
Bates, Mrs. Alice Morgan Crocker, Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Beach, Goodwin Batterson, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Beach, Mary Elizabeth, West Hartford, Oct. 1, 1895.

Beach, Mrs. Mary M., West Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Belding, Frederick N., Rockville, Jan. 3, 1922.
Belknap, Leverett, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1892.
Benn, Mrs. Bertha Lee Hempstead, Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Beutel, Mrs. L. Corrie Austin, Los Angeles, Cal., April 5, 1938.
Bidwell, Frederick Steele, Windsor Locks, April 5, 1932.
Biggs, Rev. Charles Lewis, Guilford, March 6, 1934.
Bingham, Hiram, Salem, Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Mrs. Almira A., Hartford, Nov. 1, 1921.
Bissell, Andrew J., Guilford, Dec. 1, 1936.
Bissell, Charles Spencer, Suffield, Nov. 3, 1925.
Bissell, Richard Mervin, Farmington, Jan. 5, 1909.
Blakely, Rev. Quincy, West Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Bliss, Charles L., Middletown, Dec. 6, 1932.
Bliss, Frederic Spencer, Hartford, Dec. 5, 1905.
Bliss, Harry A., East Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 4, 1930.
Blodgett, William H., Winsted, March 1, 1921.
Boardman, Cedric R., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Boyd, Edward Steele, Woodbury, Feb. 5, 1901.
Boyd, Janice, West Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bradin, John Hendee, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Brainard, Homer Worthington, Amherst, Mass., Nov. 13, 1894.
Brainard, Horace B., Thompsonville, Dec. 4, 1934.
Brainard, Morgan Bulkeley, Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brainard, Newton Case, West Hartford, Jan. 5, 1904.
Brewster, James, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Brigham, Clement H., Granby, Nov. 6, 1923.
Brinley, Katharine, Philadelphia, Pa., May 29, 1934.
Broadhurst, Leon P., Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Brodhead, William H., Hartford, April 4, 1933.
Brooks, John Lee, Windsor, Nov. 2, 1937.
Broughton, Mrs. Bessie Clarke, West Hartford, Feb. 5, 1935.
Browne, Ann Putnam, Washington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Brush, Mrs. Julia E. Clarke, Danbury, Dec. 5, 1922.
Bryant, George Clark, Ansonia, Jan. 4, 1921.
Buck, John Halsey, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1898.
Buckley, William Edward, Manchester Green, Dec. 5, 1933.
Buel, Mrs. Elizabeth Cynthia Barney, Litchfield, Nov. 3, 1931.
Buell, Irwin Alfred, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Bulkeley, Mrs. Virginia Grover, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1935.
Bulkley, George Edward, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Burnham, Mrs. Elizabeth Holland, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Burpee, Charles W., Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Burr, Mrs. Ada Harding, New Britain, May 7, 1935.
Burr, Harris L., West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Burr, Louis St. Clair, South Windsor, Feb. 13, 1934.
Burr, Nelson R., West Hartford, May 21, 1935.
Burr, Mrs. Sarah Amanda Wilcox, Norfolk, May 5, 1914.

Burt, Harold S., Wethersfield, Dec. 3, 1935.
Butler, Mrs. Eva L., Groton, Jan. 5, 1937.
Camp, John Spencer, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Campbell, Mrs. Ethel A., Meriden, May 2, 1939.
Campbell, Mrs. Oliver Allen, East Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1935.
Card, Lester, South Norwalk, March 4, 1941.
Carrier, Constance Virginia, New Britain, March 6, 1940.
Case, Howard Tyler, Wellesley, Mass., Dec. 7, 1937.
Case, James Royal, Danbury, March 6, 1923.
Case, Raymond Walter, Hartford, May 5, 1936.
Case, Willis Buell, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Castle, Henry Allen, Plainville, Feb. 6, 1894.
Castle, Mrs. Mary C. Hadsell, Plainville, Nov. 2, 1937.
Caulfield, Ernest, West Hartford, May 24, 1932.
Chapin, Mrs. Lottie M., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chapin, Ralph W., West Hartford, March 7, 1939.
Chase, Mrs. Ada Richards, Norwich, March 6, 1934.
Chase, Irving Hall, Waterbury, Dec. 7, 1920.
Cheney, Howell, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1910.
Cheney, Louis Richmond, Hartford, Nov. 5, 1895.
Child, Alfred Thurston, Jr., Christiansted St. Croix, V. I., Dec. 6, 1932.
Childs, Mrs. Grace Damon Smith, Hartford, Feb. 2, 1926.
Clapp, Clarence B., West Hartford, March 2, 1937.
Clark, David Sanders, Cleveland Heights, Ohio, Jan. 2, 1940.
Clark, Mrs. Delphina Hammer, Suffield, Jan. 2, 1940.
Clark, Mrs. Julia Gilman, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1921.
Clarke, Mrs. Alice Granger, Pittsfield, Mass., May 26, 1931.
Cohen, George Harry, Hartford, March 7, 1922.
Cole, Richard H., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Coleman, Roy V., Westport, Jan. 4, 1938.
Collamore, H. Bacon, West Hartford, Feb. 13, 1934.
Collens, Arthur Morris, Hartford, Dec. 4, 1917.
Collins, Martha Knowles, Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Conning, Mrs. Carolyn D., West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1931.
Cooley, Charles Parsons, West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Cooper, Mrs. Bessie Lewis, Westfield, N. J., Nov. 12, 1940.
Cooper, Elisha Hilliard, New Britain, Aug. 12, 1936.
Cooper, Ford Hilliard, New Britain, Dec. 4, 1934.
Corbin, Mrs. Fannie Harrison, New Haven, Nov. 4, 1902.
Corson, William R. C., Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Costikyan, Rev. Jack, Stafford Springs, Jan. 2, 1940.
Coudray, Robert D., Wethersfield, May 5, 1936.
Cragin, Donald Brett, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Cramer, Kenneth Frank, Wethersfield, Dec. 5, 1933.
Crane, Alexander, Cheshire, March 6, 1940.
Crofut, Mrs. Charlotte Phelps, Simsbury, March 6, 1906.
Crofut, Florence S. Marcy, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Crosby, Albert H., Hartford, May 7, 1940.

Cruikshank, Rosamond, Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Cummings, Alice Twiss, Hartford, May 27, 1924.
Cutler, Ralph D., West Hartford, April 1, 1924.
Danielson, Rosamond, Putnam, March 1, 1927.
Darling, Robert, Simsbury, Dec. 6, 1927.
Davidson, Alexander, Jr., New York, N. Y., March 4, 1941.
Davis, John Moore Kelso, Avon, Nov. 12, 1935.
Davis, Samuel Allan, Danbury, March 1, 1938.
Davis, Solon P., Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Day, Arthur Pomeroy, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1919.
Day, Edward Marvin, Hartford, Dec. 1, 1903.
Day, Katharine Seymour, Hartford, March 1, 1927.
Decherd, Constant Kirtland, Middletown, May 26, 1931.
de Forest, Louis Effingham, New York, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1930.
Dickinson, Addie M., Torrington, Feb. 13, 1934.
Dickinson, Walter Frederick, Wheatley, N. Y., May 24, 1932.
Dimon, Earle E., Farmington, Jan. 6, 1920.
Dommerich, Louis W., Greenwich, Nov. 6, 1923.
Dorweiler, Paul, Hartford, April 5, 1932.
Dow, Everett Duane, Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Doyle, Ellen M., Litchfield, June 18, 1936.
Driggs, Alfred Waldo, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Duncan, Winthrop Hillyer, Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 11, 1924.
Dunham, Donald A., Hartford, Jan. 4, 1921.
Durrell, Harold Clarke, Kennebunkport, Me., March 7, 1939.
Dutcher, George Matthew, Middletown, Nov. 1, 1904.
Eddy, Bessie M., West Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Eddy, Samuel A., Canaan, Dec. 4, 1906.
Edwards, George Holmes, Bridgeport, Nov. 1, 1938.
Elkins, Deborah B., Hartford, Dec. 3, 1940.
Ellsworth, Henry E., Simsbury, March 1, 1932.
Elmer, Mrs. Ethel Hills, West Hartford, May 19, 1936.
Elston, James Strode, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1921.
Enders, John Ostrom, West Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Fancher, William H., Danbury, Dec. 1, 1931.
Farrell, John Thomas, New Rochelle, N. Y., March 2, 1937.
Fenn, Mrs. Mildred Q., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ferguson, Eleanor, West Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Field, E. Bronson, Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Fisher, Samuel H., Litchfield, Oct. 4, 1932.
Forward, John Francis, Hartford, May 28, 1907.
Foster, Emma Phelps, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Francis, Mary, Hartford, May 1, 1923.
Freeman, Harrison Barber, Hartford, May 28, 1907.
French, Thomas Edward, Rocky Hill, Nov. 12, 1935.
Fuller, Alfred C., West Hartford, Feb. 7, 1933.
Fyler, Anson Priest, Simsbury, Nov. 1, 1921.
Galpin, Ruth, Berlin, May 28, 1907.

Gay, Florence Thomson, Farmington, April 5, 1921.
Geer, E. Selden, Jr., Hartford, Feb. 2, 1932.
Giddings, Eugene Alden, West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Gilson, Mrs. Ella Kittredge, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Glazier, Charles Mather, West Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Glazier, Mrs. Mary Skinner Chapin, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Glazier, Robert Cromer, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Goodspeed, Charles E., Boston, Mass., May 24, 1932.
Goodwin, Charles A., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Goodwin, Mrs. Frances Whittlesey, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Goodwin, Francis, 2d, Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Goodwin, James Lippincott, Hartford, Jan. 8, 1918.
Goodwin, William B., Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Gorton, Joseph Chapman, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Greenaway, James Emerson, Worcester, Mass., May 5, 1936.
Greenaway, Mrs. Mary Helen Kidder, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 3, 1931.
Gregory, Mrs. Elinor Kennard, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Griswold, Glenn E., Branford, March 6, 1940.
Groce, George Cuthbert, Jr., New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
Hale, Edith Stiles, Hartford, May 18, 1937.
Hammer, Mrs. Rosamond Swan, Branford, Jan. 7, 1941.
Hammond, Mrs. Jennie E. Seymour, West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Hampton, Vernon Boyce, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Harlow, Thompson Ritner, South Glastonbury, Nov. 1, 1938.
Harris, Arthur Holcomb, New Britain, April 3, 1934.
Hart, Albert Bushnell, Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 7, 1933.
Hart, George P., New Britain, Nov. 14, 1922.
Harte, Charles Rufus, New Haven, Nov. 7, 1933.
Harwood, Benjamin Eastman, Chester, Nov. 14, 1922.
Hayden, Mrs. Caroline Dayton, Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 3, 1935.
Haynes, Williams, North Stonington, Jan. 7, 1936.
Hazen, Maynard Thompson, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Heartman, Charles F., Hattiesburg, Miss., May 22, 1923.
Hemenway, Charles C., West Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Hewes, Thomas, Farmington, Oct. 4, 1932.
Hine, Harold Morton, Hartford, Dec. 5, 1933.
Holcombe, Harold G., Hartford, Nov. 14, 1916.
Holcombe, John Marshall, Jr., Farmington, Nov. 3, 1925.
Holman, Mrs. Mary Lovering, Lexington, Mass., March 1, 1927.
Holt, Charles Eleazer, West Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Holt, Fred Park, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Hooker, Joseph K., Hartford, May 3, 1932.
Hooker, Roland Mather, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1933.
Hoopes, Penrose Robinson, Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 1, 1929.
Hoskins, Mrs. Alice, East Windsor Hill, May 23, 1933.
Howard, James Leland, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Hoxie, Frances Alida, Manchester, March 6, 1940.
Hubbard, G. Evans, Ridgefield, Feb. 2, 1937.

Hubbard, Leverett Marsden, Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Hulbert, Percy Edward, Manchester, Dec. 6, 1927.
Hunt, George L., Boston, Mass., Oct. 4, 1932.
Huntington, Robert Watkinson, Hartford, Jan. 3, 1899.
Huntington, Samuel G., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Hurlburt, Mrs. Mabel Spencer, Farmington, May 24, 1932.
Hyde, Alvan Waldo, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Ingalls, Mrs. Emily P., Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Ingraham, Dudley Seymour, Bristol, Aug. 12, 1936.
Ingraham, Edward, Bristol, June 18, 1936.
Isham, Norman Morrison, Wickford, R. I., Nov. 13, 1906.
Jackson, Stuart W., Montclair, N. J., March 5, 1935.
Jacobs, Ward S., Hartford, Nov. 5, 1936.
Jacobus, Donald Lines, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jarvis, H. Gildersleeve, West Hartford, March 6, 1923.
Jillson, Myrtle M., Waterbury, March 2, 1937.
Johnson, Mrs. Adaline Bourne Bly, Franklin Grove, Ill., May 7, 1940.
Johnson, Rev. Elmer Ellsworth Schultz, Hereford, Pa., April 5, 1927.
Johnston, Russell Zieball, West Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Jones, Edward P., Winsted, Jan. 4, 1927.
Jones, Richard Frederick Jr., West Hartford, May 26, 1931.
Joslyn, Mrs. Minnie L., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Judd, William Hart, New Britain, March 7, 1922.
Judson, Florence A., Wilson, May 29, 1934.
Judson, Helen Louise, Wilson, May 25, 1915.
Keith, Elmer Davenport, Clintonville, Feb. 2, 1937.
Kellogg, Charles Poole, Waterbury, May 3, 1921.
Kent, Lillian L., Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Keogh, Andrew, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Keyes, Anna Mabel, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Kilbourne, Frederick Wilkinson, Meriden, Nov. 12, 1935.
Kimball, Mrs. Mary Chase, Waterbury, April 4, 1922.
King, Flora M., Somersville, Feb. 4, 1936.
Klinger, Clara Maria, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1931.
Koenig, Mrs. Eleanor O'Rourke, Hartford, May 6, 1941.
Kuenhold, Charles F., West Hartford, Nov. 11, 1924.
Lacy, Norbert B., Hartford, May 4, 1937.
Lane, Mrs. Edith M., West Hartford, April 2, 1935.
Lane, Mrs. Elizabeth Selden, Auburn, N. Y., Nov. 9, 1926.
Lane, Wolcott G., New York, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1923.
Leach, May Atherton, Philadelphia, Pa., March 7, 1911.
Leary, James C., Winnetka, Ill., Nov. 1, 1938.
Lepper, Mrs. Agnes L., Harwinton, March 7, 1939.
Lewie, Mrs. Bertha Louise McKee, Manchester, Aug. 12, 1936.
Lewis, Mrs. Ella May Swint, Springfield, Mass., Oct. 1, 1929.
Lewis, Martha Stevens, Hartford, Nov. 7, 1927.
Lincoln, Allen B., West Hartford, May 24, 1921.
Linehan, Mary deLacy, Amherst, Mass., Feb. 5, 1901.

Linnell, Mrs. Ethel Robinson, Granby, March 7, 1939.
Linton, Almira Frink, Norwich, Nov. 2, 1937.
Loomis, Archie Harwood, New York, N. Y., March 7, 1893.
Ludlow, Samuel, Jr., West Hartford, May 23, 1922.
McAlpin, Milo Frederick, New York, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1936.
McCook, Anson T., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Frances A., Hartford, Oct. 7, 1930.
McCook, Lucy Eleanor, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1931.
McKay, Eppert Rudolf, Newtonville, Mass., Feb. 4, 1936.
MacNary, Alice B., West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Marshall, Mrs. Ethelwyn K., Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Marvel, Mrs. Abbie W., East Providence, R. I., March 2, 1937.
Martin, John Gilbert, West Hartford, April 7, 1931.
Mathewson, Albert McClellan, New Haven, Jan. 4, 1921.
Maxwell, Francis Taylor, Rockville, June 29, 1892.
Means, Philip Ainsworth, Pomfret, Jan. 4, 1938.
Mecorney, George E., Whitestone, L. I., Nov. 12, 1935.
Meigs, Hester, Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 12, 1940.
Merriman, Louis Porter, West Hartford, April 1, 1930.
Merritt, Joseph, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1936.
Merrow, George Woodbridge, Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Middlebrook, Mrs. Margaret Dutting, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934
Miller, Helena F., Willimantic, Oct. 4, 1932.
Miller, Otto, Cleveland, Ohio, March 5, 1929.
Minor, Mrs. Anne Rogers, Litchfield, Nov. 3, 1931.
Mitchell, Asahel W., North Woodbury, May 2, 1905.
Mitchell, Edwin Valentine, West Hartford, Nov. 1, 1938.
Moore, Ethelbert Allen, New Britain, May 2, 1905.
Morgan, John Hill, Farmington, Nov. 2, 1937.
Munger, Allyn Robins, New Orleans, La., Dec. 4, 1928.
Mylchreest, Mrs. Iva Harris, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1936.
Newell, Robert Brewer, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Newton, Mrs. Lillian B., Storrs, April 3, 1934.
Newton, Mrs. Louise Gager, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1930.
Norton, Mrs. Jane Huntington, Cazenovia, N. Y., May 20, 1930.
Norton, Susan, Washington, D. C., March 6, 1934.
Nutting, Wallace, Framingham, Mass., March 6, 1923.
Ogilby, Rev. Remsen B., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Osborn, Mrs. Beatrice M., Poquonock, Nov. 2, 1937.
Osborn, William Evington, West Hartford, Nov. 3, 1925.
Packard, Ansel Alva, Portland, Nov. 7, 1933.
Page, Bertrand A., West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Page, Geneva Adelle, Waterbury, Dec. 4, 1934.
Parsons, John C., Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Peck, William Henry, Watch Hill, R. I., Feb. 3, 1931.
Penfield, R. Stanley, Hartford, May 3, 1938.
Perry, Mrs. Anna Morris, Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Perry, Delbert K., Newington, May 19, 1936.

Persiani, Charles C., Plantsville, Oct. 3, 1905.
Peterson, Arthur Everett, New York, N. Y., March 6, 1928.
Phelps, Lewis W., Andover, April 5, 1921.
Phelps, Phelps E., Simsbury, May 19, 1936.
Phelps, William Lyon, New Haven, Nov. 9, 1920.
Pitkin, William Taft, West Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Plummer, William Henry, Forestville, Feb. 1, 1938.
Pond, E. LeRoy, Newington, Jan. 4, 1921.
Prahl, Theodore, Wethersfield, Dec. 2, 1930.
Priest, Mrs. Ellen M. Langford, New Hartford, March 6, 1934.
Putnam, Mrs. Adabelle Canney Lyon, Hartford, Nov. 2, 1937.
Putnam, William Hutchinson, Hartford, April 7, 1914.
Race, Margaret Sarah, Hartford, May 23, 1939.
Rarey, Mrs. Helen Huntington Staples, West Hartford, April 5, 1938.
Raymond, Mrs. Hildred Sperry, Farmington, May 3, 1938.
Redfield, Henry Sherman, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Rhodes, James E., West Hartford, Jan. 3, 1922.
Roberts, Rev. George, West Hartford, Feb. 2, 1937.
Roberts, George McKenzie, New York, N. Y., Feb. 2, 1932.
Robinson, Lucius Franklin, Hartford, Feb. 4, 1890.
Rockwell, George Lounsbury, Ridgefield, March 6, 1934.
Rockwell, William Walker, New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 1938.
Rogers, Ernest E., New London, April 6, 1897.
Rogers, Ernest Gorton, New London, April 5, 1921.
Root, Mrs. Irene Howe Mix, Hartford, May 6, 1924.
Rowley, Alfred Merriman, West Hartford, Dec. 5, 1922.
Rowley, Mrs. Katherine T., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Rudd, Malcolm Day, Lakeville, March 6, 1900.
Rungee, Mrs. Grace Thompson, West Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Russ, Charles Cooke, Hartford, Jan. 7, 1913.
Russell, William Charles, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Sage, Henry Eno, West Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Sattig, Gustave R., East River, May 28, 1907.
Sawyer, Mrs. Georgina Case, Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 1, 1931.
Schutz, Robert Hutchins, West Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Schutz, Robert Hutchins, Jr., West Hartford, April 1, 1941.
Scofield, Ethel Lord, New Haven, Feb. 5, 1929.
Scranton, Mrs. Helen D. Love, New Haven, Jan. 6, 1931.
Seaverns, Charles Frederic Taft, Hartford, Dec. 7, 1920.
Secord, Ralph Van Cortland, East Hartford, June 18, 1936.
Seymour, Clarence W., West Hartford, Jan. 4, 1927.
Seymour, George Dudley, New Haven, Nov. 12, 1912.
Shaler, Olney Dickinson, Hartford, Aug. 12, 1936.
Shaw, Thomas Bond, Worcester, Mass., Nov. 4, 1930.
Shepard, Charles, 2d, Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1922.
Sheppard, Mrs. Caroleen Beckley, Hollywood, Cal., Nov. 1, 1921.
Sherman, Mrs. Alice Wolcott, Litchfield, Nov. 12, 1935.
Sherman, Clifton L., Hartford, May 6, 1924.

Simpson, Samuel, Tolland, Nov. 1, 1904.
Skeel, Mrs. Emily Ellsworth Ford, New York, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1921.
Slocum, Wellington R., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1923.
Smith, Allan K., Hartford, April 5, 1921.
Smith, E. Terry, West Hartford, Dec. 1, 1925.
Smith, Edna Geneva, Clinton, Jan. 5, 1926.
Smith, Mrs. Ella M. Hubbard, Hartford, April 3, 1923.
Smith, Harry Hilliard, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Smith, J. Eugene, Willimantic, April 5, 1938.
Snow, William Gamaliel, Meriden, Dec. 5, 1933.
Soifer, Max E., Hartford, Nov. 7, 1939.
Soule, Rev. Sherrod, West Hartford, May 3, 1921.
Spaulding, Mrs. Mary Crowell Hill, Norfolk, May 19, 1936.
Spencer, Burt Kellogg, West Hartford, May 7, 1935.
Spencer, Samuel R., Suffield, Feb. 2, 1932.
Spiess, Mathias, South Manchester, Dec. 6, 1921.
Squire, Robert A., Meriden, May 19, 1925.
Squire, William W. T., New Britain, April 4, 1933.
Stack, Joseph B., New York, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1939.
Stack, Morton, New York, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1939.
Standish, Jared Butler, Wethersfield, Feb. 5, 1929.
Starr, Elsie Gertrude, Hartford, April 4, 1905.
Stearns, Ada May, Hartford, May 1, 1928.
Steiner, Walter Ralph, Hartford, March 2, 1909.
Stevens, Chester Hermon, New York, N. Y., Dec. 4, 1928.
Stevenson, George S., Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Stillman, Chauncey Devereux, New York, N. Y., April 1, 1930.
Stoeckel, Robbins Battell, Norfolk, March 1, 1921.
Stone, Malcolm N., West Englewood, N. J., April 5, 1938.
Stone, Wilbur Macey, East Orange, N. J., March 6, 1928.
Stow, Mrs. Jennie Cowles, Elkins Park, Pa., March 5, 1929.
Strickland, Charles G., Addison, March 4, 1924.
Strong, Charles Cyprian, Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 7, 1927.
Strong, James Meggat, West Hartford, May 1, 1923.
Sullivan, Charles Howard, Wethersfield, Nov. 7, 1939.
Sweet, Mrs. Henrietta Elliott, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Sweet, John H. T., Jr., West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1935.
Swett, Mrs. Anna H. P. Bloomfield, March 5, 1929.
Symonds, Robert Hale, Warehouse Point, May 27, 1919.
Talcott, George S., West Hartford, April 5, 1927.
Taylor, Ada Louise, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Taylor, Charles Lincoln, Hartford, Nov. 9, 1926.
Taylor, Edward Palmer, Hartford, Nov. 12, 1940.
Taylor, Harry Knous, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Taylor, Mary Curtin, Hartford, March 4, 1913.
Terrill, Edna Clark, Manchester, March 2, 1937.
Terry, Alfred Howe, Hadlyme, March 6, 1940.
Terry, Mrs. Marian D., Hadlyme, March 6, 1940.

Thayer, Charles Snow, Hartford, May 5, 1925.
Thompson, Arthur Ripley, West Hartford, Dec. 3, 1901.
Thompson, Edmund B., Windham, May 3, 1938.
Thomson, Mrs. Gertrude Hills, Hartford, Feb. 1, 1921.
Thrall, Charles Holmes, Havana, Cuba, Nov. 9, 1920.
Tilley, Winthrop, Mansfield Center, Nov. 12, 1935.
Tilney, Mrs. Josephine Toy Collins, Cheshire, Nov. 5, 1936.
Tomlinson, Carl Perkins, Montreal, Can., Oct. 4, 1932.
Tomlinson, Mrs. Eleanor Parsons, Montclair, N. J., Nov. 12, 1935.
Toppan, Mrs. Eliza Willcox, Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 5, 1933.
Towne, George, Stafford Springs, May 21, 1935.
Tripp, Alfred N., North Haven, Jan. 3, 1939.
Trumbull, Annie Eliot, Hartford, May 2, 1939.
Trumbull, John H., Plainville, May 26, 1931.
Tuller, Mabel Champion, Hartford, Nov. 4, 1902.
Tuller, Marshall J., Hartford, Dec. 4, 1934.
Turner, Albert Milford, Hartford, Jan. 6, 1920.
Tuttle, Alice Gertrude, Hartford, March 7, 1916.
Tyler, Rollin Usher, Tylerville, Nov. 4, 1902.
Upson, Mrs. Edith M., Southington, March 6, 1934.
Utley, George Burwell, Chicago, Ill., Nov. 11, 1924.
Vail, Walter E., Litchfield, Dec. 7, 1915.
Voorhees, Rev. J. Spencer, Maplewood, N. J., Oct. 4, 1932.
Wadhams, John M., Goshen, May 3, 1921.
Walcott, Frederic C., Norfolk, Jan. 3, 1929.
Warner, Donald Judson, Salisbury, Jan. 4, 1921.
Warner, James Alfred, West Simsbury, Nov. 11, 1924.
Warnock, Mrs. Una Winchester, Marlborotown, Vt., March 6, 1940.
Warren, Mrs. Mildred M. Davenport, New Britain, March 7, 1939.
Washburn, Albert L., Hartford, March 6, 1906.
Waterman, Edgar Francis, Hartford, Nov. 3, 1903.
Waterman, Francis E., Hartford, Feb. 7, 1911.
Waterman, Mrs. Helen G., Hartford, May 29, 1934.
Waugh, Albert Edmund, Storrs, Nov. 1, 1938.
Way, John Latimer, West Hartford, Oct. 27, 1908.
Weatherbee, Harriet, East Hartford, April 3, 1934.
Weeks, Raymond, Manakin, Va., Nov. 5, 1936.
Welles, Edwin Stanley, Newington, Nov. 5, 1895.
Welles, Lemuel Aikin, Ridgefield, April 1, 1913.
Welles, Martin, Hartford, April 4, 1911.
Westbrook, Stillman Foote, Hartford, Dec. 2, 1924.
Wettereau, James O., Manhasset, N. Y., May 23, 1933.
Whaples, Heywood H., Farmington, May 4, 1926.
Wheelock, Lawrence W., Hartford, April 3, 1934.
White, Alain C., Litchfield, Nov. 9, 1920.
White George Worthington, West Hartford, April 6, 1937.
Whittelsey, Charles Barney, Hartford, March 1, 1921.
Whittles, Lee Jay, Glastonbury, Feb. 2, 1937.

Wickham, Clarence Horace, Manchester, Nov. 4, 1913.
Wilcox, Frank L., Berlin, Nov. 9, 1920.
Wiley, James Allen, West Hartford, April 3, 1928.
Willard, Arthur C., Wethersfield, Feb. 3, 1931.
Willard, Howard Arnold, West Hartford, April 4, 1939.
Williams, George G., Farmington, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Harry Roberts, Hartford, April 4, 1916.
Williams, Mrs. Jessie Scott Dike, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Williams, Staunton, West Hartford, Nov. 9, 1920.
Willson, Everett C., West Hartford, Jan. 8, 1924.
Wilson, Albion Benjamin, Hartford, March 6, 1917.
Wilson, Mrs. Grace Hall, Hartford, Dec. 6, 1927.
Winslow, Fred G., West Hartford, Nov. 6, 1923.
Winter, Alphèus, Bridgeport, May 26, 1931.
Wise, Isidore, Hartford, Oct. 4, 1932.
Wolfe, Mrs. Katharine Slayback, West Hartford, May 3, 1927.
Woodward, Charles Guilford, Hartford, May 27, 1903.
Wunder, Emma Elizabeth, Wethersfield, Dec. 1, 1925.
Wyckoff, Rev. Charles S., Hartford, Feb. 1, 1938.
Zacher, Louis Edmund, West Hartford, May 27, 1924.

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Hills, Alfred, M.A., Bocking End, Braintree, Essex, Eng., Oct. 6, 1931.

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Essex Institute, - - - - - -	Salem, Mass., - -	—	1	—
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Gaither, Roscoe B., - - - - -	New York, N. Y., -	1	—	—
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German Library of Information, -	New York, N. Y., -	2	—	—
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Grosvenor Library, - - - - - -	Buffalo, N. Y., - -	—	1	—
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Hartford Seminary Foundation, -	Hartford, Conn., -	—	1	—
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Hist. & Philos. Society of Ohio, -	Cincinnati, Ohio, -	—	1	—
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Lindenberger, Ruth W., - - -	Lawrence, Kansas, -	1	—	—
McDaniel, Kathryn Ross, - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Macafee, R. D., - - - - - -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	1	—
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Maryland Historical Society, - -	Baltimore, Md., - -	2	—	—
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of, -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	—	14
Massachusetts Historical Society, -	Boston, Mass., - -	2	—	—
Mather, William Gwinn, - - -	Cambridge, Mass., -	5	—	—
Mauldin, Guy E., - - - - - -	Washington, D. C., -	1	—	—
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Mendell, Charles S., Jr., - - -	Mattapoisett, Mass.,	—	1	—
Middlesex County Historical Soc., -	Middletown, Conn., -	—	1	—
Miller, Otto, - - - - - - -	Cleveland, Ohio, -	1	—	—
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National Society of D.A.R., - -	Washington, D. C., -	1	—	—
New England Historic Gen. Soc., -	Boston, Mass., - -	—	1	—
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Newberry Library, - - - - - -	Chicago, Ill., - -	—	1	—
Newport Historical Society, - -	Newport, R. I., -	—	1	—
North Carolina Historical Comm., -	Raleigh, N. C., - -	—	2	—
Ohio State Arch. & Hist. Society, -	Columbus, Ohio, -	—	1	—
Owen, Ralph D., - - - - - -	Philadelphia, Pa., -	—	—	1
Palmer, H. L., - - - - - - -	Branford, Conn., -	1	—	—
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Pennsylvania Historical Comm., -	Harrisburg, Pa., -	5	1	—
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President's Address

In my last two annual reports I have endeavored to give a brief outline of the history of our Society from its founding in May, 1825, to the dormant period which began in August of that year. For fourteen years we have no record of election of officers or of any activity on the part of the Society.

In May, 1839, the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut passed an act in which was recited, from the act of incorporation of the Society on May, 1825, the proviso that "said corporation should meet once a year, for the choice of a President . . ." and other officers. The act further reads as follows: "but since the year 1825, there has been no election of officers in said Society; and it is now a matter of doubt whether the Charter of said Society is not forfeited by non-user; and if otherwise, it is difficult to ascertain who are now members". It was "Resolved and declared, by this Assembly, that the existence of said society, as a body corporate, with the powers and privileges originally granted thereto, be continued and perpetuated, as though its officers had been chosen annually since 1825". This resolution would seem to clearly cure the real or apparent neglect by the Society to hold a meeting annually for the election of officers from 1825 to 1839, and to give a continuous existence to the Society during that period. It was further resolved that a stated list of thirty-three gentlemen, all the names of whom were among those most prominent in the community, "shall be deemed the present members of said Society, and shall continue such".

Thomas Day was empowered to call the next meeting of the Society, for the choice of officers, and the transaction of other business, and the meeting was held in the rooms of the Young Men's Institute, in Hartford, on Saturday, June 1, 1839. At this meeting Thomas Day was chosen President and Charles Hosmer was elected Recording Secretary. The former "rules and regulations" were repealed, and Thomas Day and Henry Barnard 2nd were appointed a committee to prepare new By-Laws for the Society.

Judge Thomas Day, LL.D. was President from 1839 to shortly before his death, March 1, 1855. He was also the first President of the Wadsworth Atheneum, and Secretary of State of Connecticut

from 1810 to 1835. It is probable that his influence in State affairs had much to do with the renewal of our Charter.

Charles Hosmer continued as Secretary of the Society for twenty-nine years, to the year 1868. It is of interest that his long term of service was exceeded by his brother, James B. Hosmer, who was Treasurer from 1840 to 1874, and also President from 1860 to 1863.

At a meeting held June 15, 1839, the committee, appointed for that purpose, presented its draft of the new By-Laws which were adopted. Frequent meetings were held during the remainder of the year, and many new names added to the roll of members. The Society had, at last, emerged as an active and progressive organization.

In my annual address, May, 1937, I made this statement: "A year ago a special appeal for an increased membership was made to the members of the Society. It is a pleasure to be able to report that our present enrollment is five hundred and forty-five (545) which has been exceeded only twice". This clearly demonstrates the vitality of the Society, and shows what could be done under unfavorable conditions. Since that time, the admission of new members has not kept pace with the normal losses by death and resignation. Our membership, today, has shrunk to 495. Against the admission of 16 new members during the year, there has been a loss of 20 by death and of 12 by resignation which is greatly regretted. I would urge each individual member to give thought to this, and endeavor to bring in new additions to our enrollment.

The monthly meetings, during the year, have been well attended, except that of March 3rd at which there was no quorum, due to an announced blackout planned for that evening. A change of date for the meeting was considered, but, at the request of the State authorities, no change was made. The papers read at these meetings were as follows:

October 7th. Hon. Newton C. Brainard of Hartford.
"Apollos Kinsley, Hartford Inventor."

November 4th. Edmund B. Thompson, Esq., of Windham.
"Early Maps of Connecticut."

December 2nd. Nelson R. Burr, Ph.D., of West Hartford.
"Liberal Christianity and its Influence in Connecticut."

January 6th. Professor J. Eugene Smith of Willimantic.
"Political Propaganda in The Connecticut Courant 1764-1783."

February 3rd. Professor Blanchard W. Means, Ph.D., of Hartford.
"The First Puritan."

March 3rd. No meeting.

April 7th. Thompson R. Harlow, Esquire, of Hartford.
"The Sons of Liberty."

May 5th. Oscar Zeichner, Esquire, of New York.
"Whigs, Tories, and Debts in Connecticut during the Revolutionary Period."

An estimate for the cost of painting the walls of the Reading Room and Museum Room, and also the ceiling of the latter has been obtained, and a reserve to meet this expense has been set up from the income of the past fiscal year. It is fortunate that we are able to have this done, and I am sure that cleaner and more attractive surroundings will add to the pleasure of those who make use of our facilities.

At this time I would like to report certain bequests from former members. The legacy of $5,000.00 in the will of the late Ruel C. Tuttle has been paid, and added to the Tuttle Fund which now amounts to $10,000.00. In his will, Francis T. Maxwell, our senior Vice-President who died March 23, 1942, left a bequest of $5,000.00 the principal of which shall be kept intact and the income used for the general purposes of the Society. Mrs. Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, who died September 13, 1941, left in her will a bequest of $4,000.00 provided the Society publish her manuscript on the Descendants of Sergt. Richard Beckley, and if the manuscript is not published the legacy be reduced to $2,000.00, the income therefrom to be used for additions to the library or for the Publication Fund. Due to uncertainty as to the ability of the estate to pay the full legacy, the question of publishing is being held in abeyance.

Our goal of a greatly increased endowment which will enable the Society to support a building of its own, in which we will have adequate space for the housing of its library, is a long way ahead. We can only place our trust on the future, and the generosity of those to whom the preservation of our history is a matter of importance.

EDGAR F. WATERMAN, *President.*

Necrology, 1942.

BY PROFESSOR ARTHUR ADAMS, PH.D.

Mrs. Josephine Brown Barrows.

Mrs. Josephine Brown Barrows, widow of Charles Royal Barrows, long a resident of Tolland, who was admitted to the Society February 4, 1936, died at her home in New Britain, June 10, 1941. They were married November 25, 1886.

She was born on Grant's Hill in Tolland, July 2, 1860, a daughter of James Avery and Frances Ellen (Kimball) Brown, but for the last fifty-three years of her life, lived in New Britain. Mr. Barrows was born in Hebron, Connecticut, September 10, 1862, and died in New Britain, May 22, 1935.

She was a member of the New Britain Women's Club and of the South Congregational Church. She leaves a daughter, Mildred Kimball Barrows, Principal of the Vance Training School of the New Britain Teachers College, and a nephew Harry J. Babcock of Portland, Oregon.

Among her ancestors were John Alden, Isaac Allerton, John Billington, and Governors Bradford and Dudley.

Mrs. Mary Mansfield Beach.

Mrs. Mary Mansfield Beach, widow of T. Belknap Beach, died at her home in West Hartford, April 23, 1942.

She was born in Boston in 1865, a daughter of Nathaniel Brookhouse and Mary Woods Beach. In 1888, she was married to Mr. Beach in Manchester, Massachusetts.

During the World War, she was head of Women's Work in the State. She was long President of the Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church Cathedral, was a former President of the Union for Home Work, and was Secretary of the Hartford School of Music. She was a member of the Saturday Morning Club, the Town and County Club, and of the Connecticut Society of the Colonial Dames of America.

She leaves a sister, Mrs. Albert Goodhue, of Marblehead, Massachusetts, and four nephews: Ensign Nathaniel M. Goodhue, Lieutenant Albert Goodhue, Jr., both of the U. S. Navy, C. Frederic Beach, of West Hartford, Thomas C. Beach, of Farm-

ington, and two sisters-in-law, Miss Edith Beach and Miss Mary Elizabeth Beach, of Vine Hill, West Hartford.

Leverett Belknap.

Leverett Belknap, who was admitted to the Society, October 4, 1892, died at the home of his son, Charles H. Belknap, in West Hartford, January 28, 1942.

He was born in Hartford, September 29, 1851, a son of Leverett and Sally Boynton Belknap. He left school at the age of twelve, and in 1864, entered the book-store of Flavius Aurelius Brown (Brown & Gross) as "handy man". In 1880, he became a member of the firm, and the firm name became Belknap & Warfield. He retired from the firm in 1910. The business was carried on under the name of G. F. Warfield & Co., until 1929, when it became Witkower's.

Mr. Belknap early became interested in historical matters, especially in those relating to Hartford. In 1924, he published in the *Courant* an article on the history of Main Street. He kept for many years scrap books on such subjects as the Hartford Fire Department; Horse cars, Trolleys, and Buses; the Connecticut Hurricane and Flood; and Hartford Wits and Writers.

He was long an active member of the Connecticut Society, Sons of the American Revolution, the oldest member of the Society at the time of his death, and was a Deacon Emeritus and oldest member of the Immanuel Congregational Church.

He left two sons: Charles H. and Edward L., both of West Hartford.

Richard Mervin Bissell.

Richard Mervin Bissell, who became a member of the Society, January 5, 1909, died at his home in Farmington of a heart attack, July 19, 1941.

He was born in Chicago, June 8, 1862, a son of George Francis and Jerusha Woodbridge Bissell. He was graduated from Yale in 1883. Soon he entered the Chicago office of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, and in a short time became Manager of the Company's Western Department. In January, 1903, he came to the Home Office as a Vice-President. Ten years later he became President.

He had much to do with the organization of the Hartford

Accident and Indemnity Company. In 1934, he became Chairman of the Board of Directors.

He was President or Director of many other insurance companies, including the Citizens Insurance Company of New Jersey, and the Twin City Fire Insurance Company. In 1922, he was elected President of the Insurance Institute of America, and was for many years President of the Insurance Executives Association and of the Eastern Underwriters Association. From 1917 to 1919, he served as President of the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

In September, 1918, he was appointed a member of the Advisory Committee on Alien Property, and during the World War served as Chairman of the Connecticut State Council of Defense. He was for several years a Lecturer on Insurance in Yale University. He was a Director of the Horace Bushnell Memorial Hall Corporation and a Director of the Neuro-Psychiatric Institute of the Hartford Retreat.

He was a member of the Hartford Club, the Hartford Golf Club, the University Club of New York, the University Club of Chicago, the Country Club of Farmington, and of Yeaman's Hall. South Carolina.

June 25, 1901, he married Marie Truesdell, of New York, who survives him. He leaves two sons, William T., of West Hartford, Richard Mervin, Jr., of New Haven, and a daughter Anne Carolyn, wife of Mr. Hector Prudhomme, of Canton.

Clement H. Brigham.

Clement H. Brigham, who was admitted to membership in the Society November 6, 1923, died at his home in Granby, January 10, 1942.

He was born in Springfield, Massachusetts, June 20, 1873, and was graduated from the Hartford Public High School in 1891. In 1896, he entered the insurance office that became F. F. Small and Company. He became President of the Company in 1941, after the death of Mr. Frederick F. Small.

He was a Director of the Middlesex Mutual Insurance Company and of the American Reserve Insurance Company of New York. He served as State Senator from the Seventh Senatorial District in 1925. He was a member, and for a time President, of the Hartford Civilian Club. He was a member of the Twentieth Century Club and of the Hartford Choral Club. While he made

his home in Hartford, till 1913, he was active in the Windsor Avenue Congregational Church, and later was a Deacon of the South Congregational Church in Granby. He was a Director of the Hartford Y. M. C. A. and was Chairman of the Salmon Brook Lighting District Committee.

He married Lilian Talcott, who survives him, as does a son Storrs T. Brigham, of Granby, a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Beckley, of New Canaan, and six grandchildren.

Harrison Barber Freeman.

Harrison Barber Freeman, elected a member of the Society, May 28, 1907, died in the Hartford Hospital after a short illness, April 9, 1942.

He was born in Hartford, August 22, 1859, a son of Harrison Belknap, Judge of Probate, and of his wife Frances Hall (Bill) Freeman. After graduation from the Hartford Public High School, he entered Yale and was graduated with the degree of B.A. in 1892. In 1894, he was graduated from the Yale Law School.

From 1895 to 1906, he was Prosecuting Attorney of the City of Hartford. He was an organizer of the Connecticut Investment Management Corporation in 1931 and was elected its President in 1932. He was President of the Enfield Constructor's Company, of the Hartford Belknap Company, and Treasurer of the Home and Gardens Company. He was a member of the Connecticut Legislature from 1899 to 1903. From 1920 to 1924, he was a member of the Hartford Aviation Commission. During the World War, he was Director of the Division of War Rallies, of the Speakers Bureau, and of the State Council of Defense. He was President of the Almada Lodge—Times Farm Corporation.

He was a member of the D. K. E. Fraternity and of the Elihu Club of Yale, of the Hartford Club, the Twentieth Century Club, the Wampanoag Country Club, the Yale Club of New York, the Graduates Club of New Haven, and the Pacific Club of Nantucket.

He was a Trustee of the Connecticut College for Women from 1924 and President of the Board from 1931.

He married, first, September 9, 1901, Alma Newell Crowell, of San Francisco, who died August 22, 1910, and secondly, June 26, 1919, Marguerite Gibson, of Chicago, who survives him. There

are two children by the first marriage: H. Crowell, of Farmington, and H. Hoyt, of West Hartford.

Anson Priest Fyler.

Anson Priest Fyler, who was admitted to membership in the Society, November 1, 1921, died September 19, 1941, after a long illness.

He was born in Warehouse Point, a son of Gilbert A. and Mary Strand Wadsworth Fyler. For fifty years, till his retirement, in 1936, he was employed by the Case, Lockwood and Brainard Company.

He leaves three children: Roger Anderson, of Rocky Hill, Wadsworth Gray, of West Simsbury, and Miss Emma R. Fyler, of Hartford. There are seven grandchildren. Mr. Fyler was a communicant of Trinity Episcopal Church, of Hartford.

Harold Morton Hine.

Harold Morton Hine, admitted to the Society December 5, 1933, died of a heart attack at his home in Hartford, December 22, 1941.

He was born in New Haven, Connecticut, June 28, 1887, a son of Rufus Edwin Hine, whose wife was Emily Watkins Hovey. After graduation from the New Haven High School, he entered Wesleyan University and was graduated with the B.S. degree in 1912. In 1920, he received the M.S. degree from Trinity College.

During the year 1912-1913, he taught science in the Thompsonville High School, and from 1913 to 1917 in the Hartford High School. During the World War, he was a Lieutenant in the Air Service, U. S. A. In 1919, he entered the service of the Travelers Insurance Company in Hartford and remained with that Company till his death. He was in the Automobile Insurance Division.

He was a member of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity, of the Order of the Founders and Patriots of America, of the Society of Colonial Wars, of the Society of the Descendants of the Founders of Hartford, and was Secretary of the Connecticut Society, Sons of the American Revolution. He was a member of the Vestry of Trinity Church in Hartford. He was descended from Thomas Hine, a founder of Milford, Connecticut, and traced his descent from many of the Colonial families of the State.

April 18, 1917, he married Ruth Eldridge Pember of Hart-

ford, who with one son Thomas Morton, born March 10, 1919, Wesleyan 1940, survives him.

Allen Bennett Lincoln.

Allen Bennett Lincoln, admitted to the Society May 24, 1921, died at his country home in Westford, Town of Ashford, September 1, 1941.

He was born in Willimantic, August 2, 1858, a son of Allen and Sallinda Bennett Lincoln. He was graduated from Williston Seminary and from Yale University with the degree of B.A. in 1881.

From 1882 to 1886, he was a member of the editorial staff of the *Providence Press* and the *Providence Journal*. From 1886 to 1894, he was editor and proprietor of the *New England Home*, a weekly. He was State Chairman of the Prohibition Party and a Delegate to the National Convention in 1892. From 1896 to his death, he was a Special Agent of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

He was much interested in Americanization work, especially among the Italians in New Haven. In 1918, he was appointed Associate Director, with Leo A. Korper, of Hartford, Federal Director of Labor for Connecticut, and did much to recruit labor for war industry. In 1925, he was a member of the Connecticut General Assembly from Windham.

He was Historian at the time of the bi-centennial celebration of the Town of Windham in 1892, and was editor of the memorial volume published at the time. From 1935 to 1940 he was President of the Windham County Historical Society. He was a member of the State Executive Committee of the Connecticut Civil Service Reform Association.

December 18, 1883, he married Caroline Buck, who died some years ago. The children were: Marion Buck, who married Elmer E. Yake, of Swampscott, Mass.; Elsie Bennett, who married Alfred Albelli, of Mamaroneck, N. Y.; Barbara Grace, who married former Governor Everett J. Lake, of Hartford; and Julianna Armour, who married C. Keith Pevear, of New York. There are three grandchildren.

Lucy McCook.

Miss Lucy McCook, who became a member of the Society,

November 3, 1931, died at her home in Hartford, November 10, 1941.

She was a daughter of the late Rev. John James McCook, D.D., Professor of Modern Languages in Trinity College, whose wife was Eliza Sheldon Butler.

She is survived by her brothers, Justice Philip J. McCook, of the New York Supreme Court, Dr. John B. McCook, of Hartford, and Col. Anson T. McCook, of Hartford, and by a sister Miss Frances A. McCook, of Hartford.

During the World War, she was an active worker in the Belgian Relief drive and in the work of the Red Cross. At the time of her death, she was engaged in the campaign for funds for the United Service Organization.

She was a communicant of St. John's Church, East Hartford, of which her father was Rector for many years.

Francis Taylor Maxwell.

Francis Taylor Maxwell, of Rockville, who was admitted to the Society June 29, 1892, died in Phoenix, Arizona, March 23, 1942.

He was born in Rockville, January 4, 1861, a son of George and Harriet Kellogg Maxwell.

After graduation from the Rockville High School in 1880, he entered his father's woolen business, the Hockanum Mills Corporation. He was first a book-keeper, was promoted to be Secretary, Treasurer, and finally President of the Company. In 1934, when the company was sold to the M. T. Stevens Company, he retired from active business.

He was a director of many corporations, including the N. Y., N. H. and H. Railroad Company, the Travelers Indemnity Company, and the Rockville Water and Aqueduct Company. He was a Trustee of the Savings Bank of Rockville, President of the Rockville Public Library, and of the Rockville Hospital.

He was a member of the Rockville Council in 1896. He served in both Houses of the Connecticut Legislature, 1899-1901. He was a Delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1900, 1904, and 1916, and five times served as a Presidential Elector. He was a Colonel on the Staff of Governor Morgan G. Bulkeley in 1892. He was a member of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York and of Royal Society of Arts of London.

He was a member of the Connecticut Society Sons of the American Revolution and of the Society of Colonial Wars. He was a member of the Union and of the Metropolitan Clubs in New York and of the Hartford Club.

November 18, 1896, he married Florence Russell Parsons, of Providence. The children were Helen, Mrs. Priscilla Endicott, and Mrs. Harriet Kellogg Veissy, of North Hollywood, California.

Mr. Maxwell was descended from Col. Hugh Maxwell who came from Scotland, settled in Western Massachusetts in 1733 and fought in the French and Indian War and in the Revolution. His interest in the Connecticut Historical Society is evident from the fact that he left $5000 for its general funds in his will.

Wallace Nutting.

Wallace Nutting, authority on early American furniture, who was admitted to the Society March 6, 1923, died at his home in Framingham, Massachusetts, July 19, 1941.

He was born in Marlboro, Massachusetts, November 17, 1861, a son of Albion and Elizabeth Sanborn (Fifield) Nutting. After three years at Harvard, he entered the Hartford Theological Seminary (1886-1887), and was graduated from Union Theological Seminary in New York in 1888. Whitman College conferred on him the D.D. degree in 1893, and Washington and Jefferson College, the L. H. D. degree in 1935. He was ordained to the Congregational Ministry in 1888, and served as Pastor of Churches in Newark, N. J., St. Paul, Minnesota, Seattle, Wash., and Providence, Rhode Island. In 1905, he retired from the ministry because of ill health and subsequently gave his attention to the pictorial representation of landscape and the collection and study of early American furniture.

He published books, chiefly of illustrations reproduced from photographs, known as the "Beautiful" series on Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Maine, Pennsylvania, New York, Virginia, Ireland, and England. Among his other works, may be mentioned *Furniture of the Pilgrim Century, Furniture Treasury,* and the *Clock Book*.

It is of interest to note that his large and valuable collection of early American furniture was acquired by the Morgan Memorial in Hartford.

May 5, 1888, he married Mariet Griswold, of Buckland, Massachusetts, who survives him.

Bertrand Archer Page.

Bertrand Archer Page, who was elected a member of the Society, October 27, 1908, died at his home in West Hartford, July 30, 1941.

He was born in Yalesville, Connecticut, May 11, 1873, a son of George Washington and Mary Jane (Smith) Page. He was educated at the Hartford Public High School and the Wethersfield Academy.

May 1, 1888, at the age of fourteen, he entered the service of the Travelers Insurance Company. Before he was twenty-one, he was in charge of the railroad accident ticket department. Later he was in charge of the Audit Department, and in 1901 was made Assistant Secretary of the accident insurance Department, becoming Secretary in 1904. In 1912, he was made a Vice-President and in 1937 was elected a Director. He was one of the best known men in the insurance field, especially in the accident and group insurance departments.

He was a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society of America. He was a member of the Asylum Hill Congregational Church, the Hartford Club, the Hartford Golf Club, and the Wampanoag Country Club.

October 27, 1898, he married Cecile Somerset Whitney, of Hamilton, Bermuda, a daughter of George Whitney, of Snow Hill, Maryland. The children were: Nelson Whitney, of Greenwich, Connecticut, and Janet Hotchkiss, who married Lowell W. Davis, of West Hartford. There are five grandchildren.

Lucius Franklin Robinson.

Lucius Franklin Robinson, who was admitted to membership in the Society, February 4, 1890, was born in Hartford, June 12, 1863, a son of Henry Cornelius and Eliza Niles (Trumbull) Robinson. He was graduated from Yale University with the degree of B.A. in 1885, and in 1926 received the LL.D. degree from his Alma Mater.

He was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in 1887 and spent his whole life in the practice of his profession in Hartford. At the time of his death, he was senior member of the firm of Robinson,

Robinson, and Cole. He was a member, twice President of the Connecticut Bar Association, and of the Hartford Bar Association.

He was a member of the Hartford Court of Common Council from 1889 to 1891 and was President in 1891. He was a member of the Hartford Fire Board from 1894 to 1897, and of the Hartford Park Commission from 1901 to 1912. He became a member and was Chairman of the Connecticut State Park and Forest Commission from 1917 to 1937. He was opposed to the Prohibition amendment to the Federal Constitution, and in 1933 was President of the Connecticut Constitutional Convention that ratified the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.

He was a Director of many industrial and financial corporations, among which may be mentioned the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, the Phoenix Insurance Company, the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, Colt's Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing Company, the First National Bank of Hartford, and the Billings and Spencer Company.

He was a member of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity, of Skull and Bones at Yale, of the Hartford Club, the University Club, New York, The S. A. R., was a Trustee of the Watkinson Library, and a Director of the Hartford Public Library. He was a member of the South Congregational Church.

December 5, 1894, he married Eleanor Cooke, of Paterson, New Jersey, who survives him, as do their three sons: Lucius F., Barclay, and Henry C., all of Hartford.

Malcolm Day Rudd.

Malcolm Day Rudd, elected to membership in the Society, March 6, 1900, died at his home in Lakeville, Connecticut, January 21, 1942.

He was born in Lakeville, April 3, 1877, a son of William Beardsley Rudd, and Maria Coffing Holley, daughter of Alexander H. Holley, Governor of Connecticut. He was much interested in genealogy and in Connecticut history. He was educated at the Hotchkiss School and at Harvard University.

For a time, he was Treasurer of the Holley Manufacturing Company.

In 1917, he was elected a member of the Connecticut House

of Representatives, and in 1920, he was a member of the State Senate.

In 1921, he was appointed a Deputy Tax Commissioner, with charge of the collection of the mercantile tax on unincorporated businesses. In 1923, he was appointed a Deputy Motor Vehicle Commissioner, serving until a few years before his death.

He was a member of the Salisbury Association, Inc., of the Salisbury Board of Finance, the Sons of the American Revolution, the American Historical Association, the New England Historic Genealogical Society, and the Society of Colonial Wars.

During the World War, he was a Captain in the Connecticut State Guard, and was Secretary of his local Draft Board.

He is survived by his wife Eva (Cook) Rudd, a son Roswell Hopkins, and a daughter, Mrs. Carl Kell, of Lakeville.

Caroleen Beckley Sheppard.

Caroleen Beckley Sheppard, widow of George Beekman Sheppard, who was admitted to the Society November 1, 1921, died in Los Angeles, California, September 13, 1941.

She was born in Berlin, Connecticut, June 12, 1862, a daughter of John Woodruff Clark, whose wife was Caroleen Beckley. Her father was an incorporator and Director of the Landers, Frary, and Clark Company of New Britain. She married George Beekman Sheppard in New Brunswick, New Jersey, October 15, 1890. There were no children.

She was keenly interested in genealogy, and made compiling a genealogy of the Beckley family her life work.

She is survived by her niece, Mrs. Louise Clark Hartley.

Ada May Stearns.

Miss Ada May Stearns, who was elected a member of the Society May 1, 1928, died in Hartford, October 2, 1941.

She was born in Forestville, Connecticut, May 28, 1877, a daughter of George and Mary (Colt) Stearns. She was a member of the Central Congregational Church. She is survived by her aunt, Mrs. Edith Flint, with whom she lived, and by three cousins, Gerald H. Loomis and Frank Loomis, of Hartford, and Mrs. Samuel Putnam of Wethersfield.

Miss Stearns left a large number of charitable bequests to various religious and charitable agencies in which she was inter-

ested and to which she was accustomed to contribute. Among them may be mentioned the First Church in Hartford, the Northfield Schools in East Northfield, Massachusetts, and the Newington Home for Crippled Children.

Wilbur Macey Stone.

Wilbur Macey Stone was born in Danbury, Connecticut, November 30, 1862, a son of the Rev. George Stone of Hartford. He was admitted to the Society, March 6, 1928. He was a Mechanical Engineer by occupation, and for many years had an office in New York City.

Mr. Stone was a Trustee of the Newark Museum and President of the New Jersey Collectors League. He was especially interested in children's books, and in children's toys, of which he had over a thousand. His wife, who died in 1936, formed a collection of old valentines shown in the Children's Room of the New York Public Library in 1935.

In 1931, he exhibited in the Junior Room of the Newark Museum a part of his collection, including a large number of paper dolls dating from about 1700 when they first appeared to the present time.

Mr. Stone had a notable collection of some six hundred miniature books and one of editions of the New England Primer.

He published some fifteen monographs and bibliographies relating to subjects in which he was interested, especially concerning children's books. Among them may be mentioned: *Lankes, his Woodcut Bookplates,* 1922; *Snuff-boxful of Bibles,* 1926; *Four Centuries of Children's Books from* (his) *Collection during September-October,* 1928; and *Gigantick Histories of Thomas Bowman,* 1933.

Mr. Stone died at his home in East Orange, New Jersey, December 21, 1941. He is survived by two sons and a daughter.

Alice Gertrude Tuttle.

Miss Alice Gertrude Tuttle, who was admitted to the Society March 7, 1916, died at her home in Hartford, July 10, 1941.

She was born in Hartford, September 3, 1855, a daughter of the late Samuel I. and Louisa Ramsay Tuttle. She was a cousin

of Miss Jane Tuttle, a life member of the Society, who died August 20, 1939.

She was a life-long communicant of Christ Church Cathedral, where the funeral service was held.

John Marsh Wadhams.

John Marsh Wadhams, who was admitted to membership in the Society May 3, 1921, died at his home in Goshen, September 17, 1941.

He was born in Goshen, Connecticut, September 14, 1870, a son of John Hodges Wadhams, whose wife was Mary G. Pelton. He counted Governor John Webster of Connecticut, among his ancestors. He was educated at the Suffield Academy of which he became a Trustee.

He served in both Houses of the Connecticut Legislature, first elected to the House of Representatives in 1911, and for three terms was Chairman of the Senate Committee on Finance and Banking. From 1915 to 1928, he was Chairman of the State Board of Finance. In 1922, he was Chairman of the Fuel Board, and in 1931, Chairman of the State Commission on Child Welfare.

He was a candidate for the nomination for Lieutenant Governor on the Republican ticket.

He was a Director of the State Chamber of Commerce, and was a Trustee of the Connecticut State Hospital in Middletown. He served as Treasurer of the Charlotte Hungerford Hospital in Torrington, of the Maria Seymour Booker Memorial, and of the Torrington Chapter of the Red Cross.

He was Treasurer and a Trustee of the Torrington Savings Bank, and Vice-President, Trust Officer, and Director of the Brooks Bank and Trust Company. He was Treasurer of the First Ecclesiastical Society of Goshen and Secretary of the Torrington Library Association. He was a Thirty-Second Degree Mason. He was a member of the Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Connecticut, of the Order of Founders and Patriots of America, and of the Torrington Country Club.

May 6, 1896, he married Annie M. Tenney, of New Haven. He is survived by their two children, John Marsh, 3rd, of Torrington, and Priscilla Rushley, who married W. W. Calkins, of Watertown, Massachusetts.

Report of the Librarian

Mr. President and Members of the Society:

ONCE again it is time to report on my work as Librarian. We are now in a world at war. As is the case with non-essential production, it is necessary for us to take stock and see where we fit into this picture. Attendance has dropped this year to 2783, though the loss has been evenly distributed since May a year ago and not the result of a large shrinkage since December.

One important phase of this world at war program was touched upon in our last *Bulletin*. With the pressure of waste paper campaigns and the need of clearing inflammables from storage places, our plea for the preservation of historical records has borne fruit. As a result we have already acquired some valuable manuscripts. Our duty as members of this Society is to assure the safety of materials such as this. From President Roosevelt down, the government is aware of this danger and we are continually receiving news releases on the subject.

But this isn't sufficient to warrant our full speed ahead program. Our real usefulness is an abstract one. It is true that many will find in genealogical research the answer to their need for relaxation. It is also true that many students, hampered by the closing and removal of collections, are turning to us in their quest for topics for degrees. But the essential point is the discovery and interpretation of the past is necessary before any plan for the future can be worked out. This Society contains one hundred and seventeen years accumulation of records, documents and allied materials dealing with our heritage of manners, customs and way of life, for the preservation of which this war is being fought.

Since the declaration of war we have removed our paintings, manuscripts not in vaults and many imprints to a place deemed safer than this building. While accomplishing this with the least possible disruption in routine, we have still not impaired our services. Upon reasonable notice, any book or manuscript available heretofore can be consulted; the ideal solution which many similar institutions have not been able to attain. It has also provided an opportunity to paint the walls of the museum and reading rooms.

Our accessions this year have been:

261	volumes
258	pamphlets
93	miscellaneous objects
122	manuscripts
A total of 734	

Of this amount the following are credited to the various funds:

	volumes	pamphlets	manuscripts	miscellaneous
Barbour	3	4	1	
Boardman	12	2		
Brainard	19			
Hoadly	5	5		1
Mather	33	1		
Robbins	51	24	34	11
Exchange	8	13	2	
Total of	131	49	37	12

The decrease in number of accessions appears unhealthy on the surface. But remember, we have reached the point where it is a matter of chosing carefully, or moving into the street. For years we have struggled with inadequate shelf space. Irrelevant books can no longer be accepted nor do those we have constitute an asset. We must do our best to dispose of them by sale, exchange or deposit, retaining only those with some particular interest to the Society.

The manuscripts acquired during the year and their sources are as follows:—

Arthur Adams, Hartford, Conn.
Additional material belonging with the C. L. N. Camp Collection.

Caroline Whittlesey Andrus, Twin Lakes, Conn.
Autograph book belonging to Caroline Whittlesey of Salisbury, 1825-.
Autograph book belonging to Huldah Corning of Hartford, 1826-.

Corinne Bacon, New Britain, Conn.
Four lectures on the Bible views of slavery.

Albert C. Bates, Hartford, Conn.
Notebook of Robert C. Kent of Springfield, Mass., 1858, with list of deaths 1824-1903.

Mrs. Bertha L. H. Benn, Hartford, Conn.
Data on Peter Stevens of New Milford, Conn.

Newton C. Brainard, Hartford, Conn.
Apollos Kinsley, Hartford Inventor. A paper read before the Conn. Hist. Society Oct. 7, 1941.

Exercise book made by Austin Williams at Phelps' school in East Hartford, 1822.

Names with occupations as extracted from an account book of Giles Curtis of Berlin, Conn., 1795-1805.

Schoolboy copy book made by William Frederick Tuttle at the Literary School, 1826.

Nelson R. Burr, West Hartford, Conn.
Account of ordination of Rev. S. J. Weaver in No. Stonington. Also dismission from 2nd Baptist church, Richmond, L. I.

Lester Card, South Norwalk, Conn.
Account book of Homer Griswold, blacksmith, of Granville, Mass., 1820-1859.

New Canaan, School District No. 1 records, 1816-1844.

Residents of Connecticut birth taken from Warren Co., Pa. census of 1850.

Henry A. Castle, Plainville, Conn.
Hills family of Farmington and Plainville, Conn.

Journal of a trip to Europe, 1855, by Rev. Thomas R. Pynchon.

Martha K. Collins, Hartford, Conn.
Extracts from Norwich Town Records concerning Barstow, Frost, Wetmore and Lyon families.

Mrs. Joshua V. Davis, West Hartford, Conn.
Gerow cemetery records, New Fairfield, Conn.

West Hartford Baptist Church records, 1858-1938 (copy).

Homer E. A. Dick, Rochester, N. Y.
Additions and corrections to Babcock-Maine genealogy.

Chauncey Drew, New York, N. Y.
Three deeds from Cheshire, Conn., 1786, 1787, 1789.

Ruth Galpin, Berlin, Conn.
Berlin, Conn., deeds and miscellaneous papers (5).

Henry Goodwin, Hartford, Conn.
Account book of Henry Keney, 1882-1893.

Glenn E. Griswold, Branford, Conn.
Connecticut inscriptions: New Haven County, Guilford, North Guilford, Branford, June, 1938.

Mrs. Arthur J. Hale, Stratford, Conn.
Information on Philo Camp and family of New Milford and New York State.

Thompson R. Harlow, South Glastonbury, Conn.
The Sons of Liberty, or "Death to any person who shall make use of any stamped papers". A paper read before the Conn. Hist. Society April 7, 1942.

Hartford Public Library, Hartford, Conn.
Record book of the "Campaign Club" or Wide-Awakes in Waterbury, 1860.

Holton Family Association, Cleveland, Ohio.
Genealogy of descendants in America of William Holton (1610-1691) of Hartford, Conn. and Northampton, Mass.

Fannie B. Hurlbut, Gales Ferry, Conn.
Miscellaneous bills (12) and tax lists (6) 1806-10.

Donald Lines Jacobus, Westville, Conn.
Families M-Z as they appeared in "Families of Ancient New Haven".

Mrs. Robert Jaffray, New York, N. Y.
Orderly books kept by Col. Zebulon Butler at West Point, March-July, 1782. (2)

William E. Johnson, McDonough, N. Y.
John Johnson and other Johnsons. McDonough, 1940.

Adaline Mix, Hartford, Conn.
First record book of Company 10, 2nd Battalion, Branford, 1837-1842.

James Ralph Pierce, Manchester, Conn.
Bible record of the Clark and Standish families.

C. Benjamin Russell, Belleville, N. J.
Bible records of the Hickok-Van Dusen families.

George Dudley Seymour, Esq., New Haven, Conn.
Investigations in England on the Seymour family (box).

Special Libraries Association, New Britain, Conn.
Special collections in Connecticut and western Massachusetts. 1941.

Mathias Spiess, Manchester, Conn.
Correspondence between Mr. Spiess, Mr. Ayres, Mr. Wm. B. Goodwin and Mr. H. A. Wright pertaining to Indian trails.

State Historical Society of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.
Inscriptions from cemeteries in Coventry, So. Coventry, Columbia and Mansfield Center, Conn., copies by Mrs. Dimock.

Edmund B. Thompson, Windham, Conn.
Early Maps of Connecticut. A paper read before the Conn. Hist. Society, Nov. 4, 1941.

Annie Eliot Trumbull, Hartford, Conn.
Poetical works of John Trumbull . . . 2 vols. Hartford, 1820. (With many autographs and manuscript notes added by J. H. Trumbull.)

Leo Leonard Twinem, Sharon, Conn.
Letter from C. F. Hosmer to J. C. Smith thanking him in the name of the Conn. Hist. Society for documents presented, 1841.

Letter from Thomas Day to J. C. Smith thanking him personally for the gift, and other letters.

Edith Watson, East Windsor Hill, Conn.

Account book of Harrie U. Hayden, Saybrook, 1846-1877.

E. Stanley Welles, Newington, Conn.

Copy of Steward's records of Methodist Church, Newington, Conn., from original owned by H. C. Francis, Aug. 27, 1895.

Copy, with explanatory notes, of two letters by John D. Seymour from Washington, D. C., to relatives in Newington.

Entries from the family Bible record of Judge Martin Welles.

Gorham family records from Bible owned by Howard W. Gorham, South Norwalk, Conn.

The Pynchon ancestry of Martin Welles.

Recollections of Fedelia W. Hale in conversation with E. S. Welles, Nov. 28, 1902.

Purchases.

Account book, 1827-1850.

Account book of Hebard, Wardwell & Ingraham, 1796, of Sharon, Salisbury and Amenia.

Account book of Oliver Mather, Jr., 1810-1816.

Account book of T. Leavitt, Jr., May 19, 1803-July 28, 1803.

Account books of William Darte, Jr., of New London and Waterford, 1793-1815. (3)

Birth record taken from manuscript account book kept by Dr. S. W. Turner of Chester, Conn., 1852-1853.

Copy of entry in account book of Capt. David Tarbox of Hebron.

Data on Camp, Couch, Hollister and Hotchkiss families.

Data on the Pratt family.

Daybook of C. Post, of Hebron, Conn., 1831-1832.

Daybook of William Ellery, Dec., 1774-March, 1785.

Deed of Samuel Lothrop of Wallingford, 1728.

Diary of Daniel Lathrop Coit, of Norwich, on a European trip, 1783.

Diary of John Cotton Smith for 1782-3 while at Yale.

Genealogy of the Rossiter family.

Gravestone inscriptions of Sedgwick, Maine, and Penobscot, Maine. North Brooksville, 1941.

Half-century sermon delivered by Cotton Mather Smith in Sharon, Sept. 22, 1805.

Letter from Levi Tracy of Oak Hill, Green Co., N. Y., to Jedidiah and Joshua Barstow of Preston, Jan. 2, 1830.

Letter written by John Cotton Smith to his sister Elizabeth, Jan. 30, 1783.

Letters, bills and invoices to John Adam of Taunton, later of Canaan, nail maker, and to his sons, 1766-1844 (20).

Letters to L. & G. Andrews of Southington, relating to the manufacture of cement, 1836-1837 (box).

Letters to Roswell Moore & Sons of Berlin, 1836-1840, relating to manufacture of cement (box).

Letters to Sheldon Moore of Kensington, 1839-41, concerning manufacture of sun dials; also on fruit culture (box).

Milford town records (copy).

Old Records Collection No. I in 6 parts, Brooksville, Brooklyn, Sedgwick, Bluehill and Surrey, Maine.

Orderly books for Capt. Judd's company, beginning 1778, to June, 1780 (2).

Papers of the Mineral & Manufacturing Co., of Cheshire and New Haven, 1839-1845, mine for Barytes (box).

Tombstone records of 18 cemeteries in Poundridge, Westchester Co., N. Y. White Plains, 1941.

Bible Records

Aldrich, Aldridge, Allen, Boynton, Brown, Bumstead, Burr, Clarke, Deming, Derby, Doane, Dunham, Gorham, Guiness, Hamlin, Hart, Hickok, Hunter (2), Hyde, Isbell, Lawrence, Mason, Morey, Partridge, Pike, Root, Sanford, Smith, Standish, Stevens, Swift, Thompson, Van Dusen, Welles.

Manuscript Genealogies

Babcock-Maine, Barstow, Camp (2), Couch, Frost, Hills, Hollister, Holton, Hotchkiss, Johnson, Lyon, Pratt, Pynchon, Rossiter, Seymour, Stevens, Wetmore.

Printed Genealogies

Blair, Blanchard, Bolton, Botsford, Banker, Burgess, Clarke-Dungan, Cooley, Cory, Crapo, Cunnabell, Davis-Williams, Dow, Edwards, Farren, Field, Glidden, Griswold, Guthrie, Hamilton, Harris, Harrison, Howard, Indicott, Kimball, Leavitt, McDill, McIntire, Merwin, Mowry, Owen (2), Paine-May, Payne, Payne-Gore, Percy, Pickering, Reade-Reed, Riggs, Russell, Seabury, Shove, Sizer, Skilton, Smith, Thurmond, Thurston, Tousey, Utter, Vose, Washburn, Watts, Wheeler, White, Whittlesey, Wildbore, Witter.

18th Century Connecticut Imprints

à KEMPIS, THOMAS. The Soliloquy of the Soul. To which are added, Meditations and Prayers for Sick Persons. by George Stanhope, D.D. *Hartford: Printed by John Babcock. 1800.* 14 cm., pp. 227.

By purchase. Bates 1742. No copy located.

BLOODY Indian Battle, Fought at Miami Village, November 4, 1791. A Mournful Elegy On The Occasion. And Jemmy and Nancy: A Tragical Garland. *New-Haven: Printed by Moses H. Woodward.* 16½ cm., pp. 12.

By purchase. Bates 1927. No copy located.

[BOUDIER DE VILLEMERT, PIERRE JOSEPH.] The Ladies Friend; being a Treatise on the Virtues and Qualifications which are the Brightest Ornaments of the Fair Sex, And render them most agreeable to the sensible Part of Mankind. *New-Haven: Printed by Thomas and Samuel Green, For Abel Morse. 1784.* 14 cm., pp. 107.

By purchase. Bates 1934. One copy located.

A DISCOURSE on the Times. The Second Edition. *Norwich. 1776.* 18½ cm., pp. 16.

By purchase. Trumbull 599. No copy located.

[DODSLEY, ROBERT.] The Oeconomy of Human Life, complete in Two Parts: Translated from an Indian Manuscript. Written by an Ancient Bramin. To which is prefixed, An Account of the Manner in which the said Manuscript was discovered: In a Letter from an English Gentleman residing in China, The Earl of ..... *Norwich: Printed and sold by John Trumbull, 1795.* 16½ cm., pp. 117, (1).

By purchase. Bates 2082. One other copy.

HOTCHKISS, FREDERICK W. On National Greatness. A Thanksgiving Sermon, Delivered to the First Society in Say-Brook, November 29th, 1792. *New-Haven: Printed by Thomas and Samuel Green. M,DCC,XCIII.* 20 cm., pp. 23.

By purchase. Bates 2275.

INSTRUCTIVE and Entertaining Emblems, on Various Subjects, in Prose and Verse. By Miss Thoughtful. *Hartford: Printed by J. Babcock. 1795.* 10 cm., pp. 31.

By purchase. Bates 2286. No copy located.

KEACH, BENJAMIN. The Travels of True Godliness: From the beginning of the World to this present day. In an apt and pleasing Allegory. Shewing what True Godliness is: also the Troubles, Oppositions, Reproaches, and persecutions, he hath met with in every age. Together with The Danger and Sad declining State he is in at this present Time, by Errors, Heresies and Ungodliness, or open Profaneness. With an entire new set of Cuts. The Tenth Edition, corrected, with some Additions, by the Author. *New-Haven: Printed for Benjamin Gomez, Bookseller and Stationer, No. 97, Maiden-lane, New-York.* 13½ cm., pp. 144.

By purchase. Bates 2305.

THE LIFE and Adventures of Ambrose Gwinett, Apprentice to an Attorney at Law. Who for a Murder which he never committed, was tried, condemned, executed, and hung in chains, in Old England; yet lived many Years afterwards, and in his Travels found the Man in the West Indies actually alive; for the supposed Murder of whom he had been really executed. Demonstratively proving, that Condemnations upon circumstantial

Evidence are injurious to Innocence, incompatible with Justice, and therefore ought always to be discountenanced especially in Cases of Life and Death. *Norwich: Printed and Sold by John Trumbull, M,DCC,LXXXIV.* 17 cm., pp. 23.

By purchase. Trumbull 1004. Only other copy lacking title page.

[MACGOWAN, JOHN.] The Life of Joseph the Son of Israel. In Eight Books. Chiefly designed for the use of Youth. Republished, from the first London edition. *Hartford: Printed by Elisha Babcock. M,DCC,XCI.* 15½ cm., pp. 147.

By purchase. Bates 2361. No copy located.

WATTS, I[SAAC]. Divine Songs Attempted in easy Language, for the use of Children. To which are added, Dr. Watt's Wonderful Dream, His Catechisms, for Children three or four years old, and for youth eight or ten years of age. Morning and Evening Prayers, &c. *Hartford: Printed by John Babcock. 1798.* 16½ cm., pp. 70.

By purchase. Bates 2727. No copy located.

Museum Accessions

Rev. Warren S. Archibald, Hartford, Conn.

Portrait of Mrs. Lydia Huntley Sigourney, 1791-1865, painted by Jared Bradley Flagg.

Newton C. Brainard, Hartford, Conn.

Photograph of the Apollos Kinsley house, formerly on Kinsley Street.

Photographs of churches in Bloomfield, Cornwall, Flanders, Ledyard, Morris, Preston, Salem and Thomaston.

Gertrude A. Ensign, Newton, Mass.

Portrait of Rhoda Ann Ensign, 1810-1896, painted about 1836.

Portrait of Sidney Ariel Ensign, 1817-1893, member of the Hartford Common Council, 1860-1.

Mrs. H. W. Esselstyn, Seattle, Wash.

Gold-headed cane presented to Hon. William Field in 1855 by 21 state senators, while he was presiding officer of the State Senate.

Mrs. George H. Gilman, Hartford, Conn.

Baby carriage, approximately 100 years old.

Mrs. Mabel L. Hart, Hartford, Conn.

David L. Gaines' record of service in the Civil War.

Testimonial of honor for service in the Civil War.

Photograph of the State Capitol and Memorial Arch.

David L. Gaines' certificate of membership in the Fireman's Benevolent Society, Hartford, 1883.

Photographs of an early horse car in Hartford and a coach.

Watch with exposed works.

Three photographs, presumably of David L. Gaines.

Edith Very Sherwood, Westford, Conn.

Photograph of the Phoenix Bank building taken during the blizzard of 1888.

John H. T. Sweet, M.D., Hartford, Conn.

Windsor style chair with writing arm, formerly the property of Gov. Jonathan Trumbull, Sr.

Estate of Alice Gertrude Tuttle, Hartford, Conn.

Portrait of Gurdon Wadsworth Russell, M.D., 1815-1909, painted by Charles Russell Loomis.

Portrait of Samuel Tuttle, 1773-1850, painted by Jared Bradley Flagg.

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We waste much time checking dealers' lists against our holdings. Since fully 50 percent of our library is not entered in the main catalogue, it is necessary to search this large amount of uncatalogued material before we can purchase even one pamphlet. This year we have actually been able to catalogue only about 80 percent of accessions. Thus we are adding more and more to this large mass

of uncatalogued backlog. Naturally this condition is reflected by the speed in which we locate requested items. Many times we know we have a certain book or pamphlet, but our memory fails in immediately locating it. Something must be done about this and done soon. Most of its life this library has been understaffed and at no time is it more apparent than today. It is a physical impossibility for two people to satisfy mail and personal requests and tend to the other duties necessarily a part of our activities. The only solution I can see is an appropriation, to secure an expert, for perhaps a year, to install a system of classification. His work would supply a start and save sufficient of our time to allow us to continue on that foundation. I can not emphasize the importance of this too much. It may not be feasible now, but it must be done before any great improvement in the services of this institution may become apparent to all.

Letters requesting genealogical information have increased this year. With transportational difficulties and shorter vacations, we must expect more requests along this line. We have also supplied much material to historians all over the country. A mid-westerner wanted information on General Lew Wallace, particularly the part he played for the Connecticut State Republican Committee during the 1872 campaign. Another needed data on the *Hartford Evening Press,* a newspaper that was published here from 1856-1868 after which it merged to become the *Evening Post.* The Jeremiah Wadsworth Collection had references to the Bank of North America for a student writing a dissertation. Photostats were supplied of many of John Greenleaf Whittier's works that first appeared in the rare *New England Weekly Review,* a paper he served as editor. Our Sigourney Collection was used for information on Sarah J. Hale. Notes on Christopher Gore were furnished for another dissertation. We aided in identifying individuals mentioned in the publications of the Massachusetts Historical Society and the Rhode Island Historical Society. We checked our holdings for Rogerine items and numerous other bibliographers consulted our collections. John Babcock, Hartford printer, used many wood cuts by Alexander Anderson. Our imprints and Babcock manuscripts have been searched on this subject. As usual, Mr. Penrose Hoopes' clock notes have assisted in identifying

numerous Connecticut clock makers. We have also provided many illustrations for forthcoming books. A popular radio program carried the story of an estate for which the heirs should be found in Connecticut. Numerous people of the same name unsuccessfully attempted to prove relationship. We found for a photographer the meaning of the figures on the Memorial Arch in Bushnell Park. Our records have been consulted for the centennial of *The Hartford Times,* a history of a local insurance company and the 150th anniversary of the Hartford National Bank & Trust Company. We continually supply libraries with photostats of missing pages and in many cases the complete text of rare pamphlets dealing with Connecticut. Hardly a day passes that our file of Hartford newspapers is not consulted. Typical uses recently have been attempts to prove date of birth so that a birth certificate could be supplied. Young men have searched for engagement notices to prove dependency was considered prior to the passage of the draft act. A store copied evening styles of about 25 years ago for use in a window display. Then there was the man who needed to find the death date of his mother. The Board of Health could not help him because her name had been misspelled and so couldn't be found. Being a child at the time he had only a vague idea when it might have occurred, but after some conversation he did recall that a murder had been committed on their street at just about the same time. By tracing this case we were able to narrow the search down to only a month and then it was an easy matter to find the notice. There is also the inevitable individual who just seems to want to look at a "couple of years" of the paper and when confronted with a half dozen or so tremendous volumes, glances at one, asks if we will hold them until tomorrow for him, and then leaves never to be seen again. There were many others, but to these, correspondents and telephone inquiries, we attempt to give the same grade of service.

Printed acknowledgement of our assistance is found in these recently published works:

Keller, Charles Roy: *The Second Great Awakening in Connecticut.* New Haven, 1942.

Rogers, Ernest E.: *The New London Cemetery Association.* Volume 1, No. 3.

Sibley's Harvard Graduates. Volume 6, 1713-1721. Boston, 1942.

Seymour, George Dudley: *Documentary Life of Nathan Hale.* New Haven, 1941.

Thompson, Edmund: *Maps of Connecticut for the years of Industrial Revolution 1801-1860.* Windham, 1942.

Woodward, Charles G.: *The New London Willimantic & Palmer Railroad Co.* Hartford, 1941.

In October, we published *The Records of the Congregational Church in Suffield, Conn., 1710-1836.* This is volume 7 in the *Vital Records of Connecticut* series and was printed from the avails of the Ancient Vital Records Fund. The sale has not been what we expected in our most optimistic moods, yet books such as this have a limited appeal and move over a considerable period of time. As a result, however, we have sold a number of the previous vital record volumes and such will undoubtedly be the case in the future. Our only other publications during the year were our *Bulletin* of 32 pages, plus index and title page, and our *Annual Report* of 84 pages.

The Society has voted to publish the Revolutionary portion of David Avery's diary, a manuscript the major part of which belongs to us. Avery was a chaplain in the army and was present at the siege of Boston and during the Quebec and New Jersey campaigns. His comments are full on the planning and results of the battles and it will make an important addition to printed source material for the Revolutionary period.

In addition we have suggested that one of the patriotic societies pay the cost of printing yet another volume of vital records. This has been voted on favorably by their officers, but before work is commenced, it must be confirmed by a general meeting which is to be held in June. This is indicative of a trend which strikes me as important. We are set up to do the work, by that I mean make the copy, see through the press, index and sell, but we lack funds for the purpose. Every group such as this which agrees to pay the cost of printing is making a definite contribution for which we both may claim credit.

We have acquired from the Mayflower Society in the State of Connecticut, the remaining copies of *The Franklin Church Records,* published in 1938. These are sold by us for a stated commis-

sion which is credited to the Publication Fund Principal. From the Society of Founders & Patriots, we received the *New Haven Vital Records,* which were the only volumes in the series heretofore not available from us. The commission for the sale of these also goes to the principal of the Publication Fund.

We have added a half-tone to the *Bulletin.* This has caused some comment, mainly from strangers who for the first time have seen and read it. We also are attempting to use the *Bulletin* as an advertising medium, not only for the benefit of members, but for persons who might be interested in the work of the Society if we but brought it to their attention.

Our most ambitious project has been successful. During the fall we issued a microfilm file of *The Connecticut Courant,* covering the years 1764-1792. This was made possible through the cooperation of the Library of Congress, The New York Historical Society, Massachusetts Historical Society, Yale University Library, Connecticut State Library and the Hartford Courant Office, who made copies available that were lacking in our file. Sixteen libraries throughout the country subscribed on a cost basis which allowed us to take our papers apart and still issue the film at less than a cent a page. This permitted photographing without the distortion and uneven lighting which must inevitably appear when photographing bound volumes. The pages filmed are as perfect as can be produced from the originals. The papers were badly in need of rebinding and this presented an opportunity to do it at no expense to ourselves. We used non-perforate film. This allowed placing the image horizontally on the film and resulted in 16 pages to the running foot as against only eight the other way, a saving of 50 percent in film required. On every side we have received an enthusiastic response, not only for the public service rendered, but also for the quality of the work produced. Our experience should prove valuable to other institutions contemplating such cooperative ventures and we plan to send our conclusions to some library periodical. To date, we have sold ten additional sets which represents a profit of more than $200 to be credited to the Publication Fund Principal.

Last fall we purchased a vacuum cleaner and since have thoroughly cleaned every book in the reading room. A start has also

been made in our stack rooms. It is indeed a pleasure to handle the majority of the volumes now and many members have noted the difference. From the amount of dirt removed, and some of the shelves looked as if they had never been cleaned, we will have far less dry rot and our leather bound books in particular will stand up better. We have also oiled some of this type of binding and consequently as a whole they are in better condition.

This year we have had 140 volumes rebound, 3 periodicals bound and 24 newspapers bound. The increase in binding funds has resulted in considerably brightening the physical aspects of our reading room. It has allowed us to save many volumes which were in danger of becoming permanently damaged. Another year should see us caught up, from years of insufficient binding, to the point where we can concentrate on silking, repairing and in some instances, binding, our manuscripts.

Perhaps the most widely commented upon project completed this year was the rearrangement of the museum. This naturally has consumed considerable time and other equally important work has suffered. All our exhibition cases have been cleaned and in many instances their contents completely changed. The silver pieces have been polished and lacquered. We have also removed from the walls nearly three-fourths of the smaller framed items. As soon as the painting of the museum room is completed the improvement will be more noticeable.

Time was found to prepare but one special exhibition in the museum. Last year was the 200th anniversary of the first magazine in British North America. We attempted to show merely a cross section of those published in Connecticut during the first one hundred years in the development of magazines. We had hoped to periodically have some sort of show, perhaps not on a large scale but sufficient to interest special groups. We must confess that we still feel it an excellent idea but admit that the time available is not enough to do all we should like.

The acquisition policy of our museum is a difficult problem. We are now attempting to save articles of every-day use which so often become worn out before a specimen finds its way into a museum. More and more the emphasis will be placed on articles such as this, since future historians will utilize them for an in-

sight into the habits and customs of the period. It is all very well for individuals to save what I must call "souvenir relics", of which chips of the Plymouth Rock and slivers of the Charter Oak are outstanding examples, but for a historical museum to become cluttered with such things is criminal. There are few institutions, this one included, that can afford to house such relics and have room left for the important museum pieces on which our reputation is founded. If we accept articles dating about a generation apart, that had a role in Connecticut, we would then eventually have a complete picture of the changes in styles and customs. The role of the Acquisitions Committee is to make certain we do not secure two or more identical specimens and to aid in finding a particularly desired item when a gap is noted.

There are some items in our museum and in storage which might well be deposited elsewhere. We cannot expect to compete with specialists and yet we have the nucleus of a collection which can be unrivalled in our field. By a system of cooperative depositing, we can all benefit and each present a well integrated, carefully chosen, complete collection. We should also attempt to spread responsibility among our members. There are a mere handful of us who do the majority of the work. Let us appoint some curators on special subjects following the lines of some of our hobbies. For instance a curator of firearms could have a field day assisting us in classifying our muskets. He would enjoy it, the Society would profit and we would have the burden of responsibility shifted in a subject about which we confess ignorance. The curator of furniture, for another example, could spend many hours in arranging an exhibit of chairs. We probably have an incomparable selection showing variations from the first Connecticut made chair well into the 19th century. It is a thought which merits consideration.

It is also high time that we did something to protect our paintings. Some years ago Vice-President George Dudley Seymour paid for the restoration of a number of them, but there are many others that, if not soon repaired, will be permanently damaged. Each year we should spend a stipulated amount and with an expert's advice, this could be spread where it is most needed. Two hundred dollars annually is not too much for a starter and, with some possible assistance from members, this would make a considerable improve-

ment in a short time. We also need funds for repairing museum objects and I hope that some money can be found for this deserving purpose. We have a responsibility when we accept a portrait or piece of furniture to keep it forever. Prospective donors are certainly not encouraged by our treatment of some of these things. A few dollars now can well save many dollars in the not too distant future, and above all, save many times that in good will!

Through exchange with dealers of various duplicate books, we have been able to secure nearly $200 worth of material which we ordinarily could not hope to acquire. In the past we have been burdened with the expense of storing these volumes. I do not advocate dumping them on the market for whatever they will bring, but I do, whenever possible, exchange them for items important to us. We thereby convert a dead asset into a live one which I am sure is satisfactory to all of us. Many dealers are willing to do this since the type of books available are often-times rare and usually have a good market. I hope, within a reasonable period, to prepare a list of duplicates and circularize various institutions on an exchange basis, the remainder then being available for credit or sale to dealers.

In other ways your librarian has been kept fairly busy. He has spoken to the Glastonbury Historical Society, the Windsor Historical Society, the Genealogical section of the Special Libraries Convention, at a memorial for the first Mayor of Hartford and before this Society. He has been honored by election as President of the Hartford Librarians Club and Treasurer of the Connecticut Library Association. He has also served on the Connecticut Committee for Conservation of Cultural Resources, Treasurer of the Connecticut Victory Book Campaign, Chairman of the Hartford Collection Committee for the same and on the "Committee of Books in a World at War".

In closing, to President Waterman, the members of the various committees, Mr. Bates, Miss Hoxie and Miss Ellis, I must acknowledge a debt that is deep indeed. Credit for any progress must be equally shared by them all.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMPSON R. HARLOW,
Librarian.

CONNECTICUT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Report of

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES, *Treasurer*

BALANCE SHEET, APRIL 30, 1942

ASSETS

Real Estate, Schedule "D"	$211,770.00	
Library, Schedule "D"	350,000.00	
Museum, Schedule "D"	100,000.00	
Furnishings, Schedule "D"	2,500.00	
Investments:		
Bonds, Schedule "D"	177,076.56	
Stocks, Schedule "D"	307,690.73	
Mortgage Loans, Schedule "D"	27,351.00	
Savings Banks, Schedule "D"	47,995.17	
Cash, Schedule "D"	3,583.39	
Petty Cash	100.00	$1,228,066.85

FUNDS

Principal of Trust Funds, Schedule "B"	$1,216,394.36	
Plus gain to Consolidated Fund, Schedule "E"	6,437.03	
Income of Trust Funds, Schedule "C"	4,021.44	
Surplus General Fund, Schedule "A"	361.96	
Reserve for painting	750.00	
Reserve for reader	102.06	$1,228,066.85

SCHEDULE "A"

Statement of Income for General Expenses

Income		
Annual Dues		$980.00
Miscellaneous		15.87
Unrestricted Funds		
Silas Chapman, Jr. Fund	$2,896.94	
Sophia F. H. Coe Fund	44.41	
General Fund	608.12	
George Henry Fitts Fund	246.24	
James J. Goodwin Fund	784.41	
E. Stevens Henry Fund	23.26	
James B. Hosmer Fund	211.45	
William W. Knight Fund	338.33	
Edward B. Peck Fund	1,374.46	
Publication Fund (Bulletin)	470.18	
William H. Putnam Fund	8.76	

Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	338.33	
James Shepard Fund	56.36	
Edwin Simons Fund	228.37	
Jane T. Smith Fund	42.29	
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	422.91	
Mary K. Talcott Fund	257.98	
Tuttle Fund	320.64	8,673.44
		$9,669.31
Less transfers to principal of the following funds:		
George Henry Fitts Fund	$246.24	
James J. Goodwin Fund	784.41	
Publication Fund (Surplus)	82.59	
James Shepard Fund	56.36	
Tuttle Fund	75.00	1,244.60
		$8,424.71
Less:		
General expenses		
Salaries	$4,180.00	
Telephone	38.93	
Postage and stationery	142.75	
Printing	355.95	
Binding	296.96	
Library Supplies	200.46	
Repairs	125.00	
Rent, Cartage and storage	414.58	
Fees	889.82	
Insurance	261.32	
Incidental expenses	110.70	
Bulletin Account	387.59	
Expenses of speaker	8.50	
To reserve for painting, etc.	750.00	
Photography and Photostating	12.99	$8,175.55
Gain for the year		249.16
		$8,424.71

Statement of General Fund Surplus Income

1942			1941		
April 30	Balance	$361.96	May 1	Balance	$112.80
				Gain for the year	249.16
		$361.96			$361.96

SCHEDULE "B"

Principal of Trust Funds

Ancient Vital Records Fund	$168.66
Lucius B. Barbour Fund	468.00
William F. J. Boardman Fund	851.18
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	2,186.47
Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund	68,500.00
Sophia F. Hall Coe Fund	1,050.00
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	171.00
George Henry Fitts Fund	6,007.83
General Fund	465,370.48
James J. Goodwin Fund	19,139.90
E. Stevens Henry Fund	550.00
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	2,572.21
George E. Hoadley Fund	537,365.41
James B. Hosmer Fund	5,000.00
Newman Hungerford Fund	2,000.00
William W. Knight Fund	8,000.00
Horace Mather Fund	5,000.00
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	93.00
Edward B. Peck Fund	32,500.00
Permanent General Fund	1,015.86
Publication Fund	9,379.45
William H. Putnam Fund	207.07
Thomas Robbins Fund	6,553.53
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund	8,000.00
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	231.67
James Shepard Fund	1,380.24
Edwin Simons Fund	5,400.00
Jane T. Smith Fund	1,000.00
Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund	10,000.00
Mary K. Talcott Fund	6,100.00
Tuttle Fund	10,000.00
E. Stanley Welles Fund	132.40
	$1,216,394.36

SCHEDULE "C"

Income of Trust Funds Held for Special Purposes

Lucius B. Barbour Fund	$26.27
William F. J. Boardman Fund	6.29
Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund	22.13
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund	62.13
Charles J. Hoadly Fund	55.25
Newman Hungerford Fund	59.74
Horace E. Mather Fund	61.31

Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund	5.12
Permanent General Fund	56.81
Publication Fund—Surplus Income	3,523.60
Thomas Robbins Fund	15.95
Thomas Robbins Fund—Surplus Income	114.29
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund	12.55
	$4,021.44

SCHEDULE "D"

Inventory of Assets

		Book Value		*Market Value*
	Real Estate	$211,770.00		
	Library	$350,000.00		
	Museum	100,000.00		
	Furnishings	2,500.00		
		$452,500.00		
Bonds:				
$7,000	Great Northern Railway Co., 4-1946	$7,246.10	@ 98¼	$6,877.50
4,000	Hartford-Ætna Realty Corp., 6-1959	1,460.00	@ 35	1,400.00
2,000	New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., 6-1948	720.00	@ 41⅜	827.50
2,000	Province of Ontario, 4½-1951	2,125.67	@104	2,080.00
25,000	U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2½-1949/53	25,050.52	@106.9	26,570.31
13,000	U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2¾-1954	13,315.26	@108.11	14,084.69
45,000	U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2½-1952/54	47,619.01	@103.15	46,560.94
50,000	U. S. A. Savings Bonds, Series "G", 2½-6/1/1953	50,000.00	@100	50,000.00
14,000	U. S. A. Savings Bonds, Series "F", 1/1/1954	10,360.00	@ 75	10,500.00
14,000	U. S. A. Savings Bonds, Series "G", 2½-4/1/1954	14,000.00	@100	14,000.00
7,000	U. S. A. Savings Bonds, Series "F" 4/1/1954	5,180.00	@ 75	5,250.00
		$177,076.56		$178,150.94
Stocks:				
50 shs.	Ætna Casualty & Surety Co.	$3,425.00	@103	$5,150.00
190 "	Ætna Insurance Co.	8,172.50	@ 45½	8,645.00

740	"	Ætna Life Insurance Co. .	24,928.24	@ 22⅛	16,372.50
112	"	American Telephone & Telegraph Co.	13,739.48	@107¼	12,012.00
50	"	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., pfd. ..	4,736.87	@ 66⅝	3,331.25
10	"	Bank of New York	4,644.00	@239	2,390.00
40	"	Bankers Trust Company of New York	2,425.00	@ 32⅛	1,285.00
36	parts	Chatham Phoenix Corp. Ctfe. of Beneficial Int. .	0.00		0.00
20	shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburgh R.R. Co., 7% Guaranteed ...	1,650.00	@ 77¾	1,555.00
250	"	Commonwealth Edison Co.	7,680.28	@ 17½	4,375.00
600	"	Connecticut General Life Insurance Company ...	20,300.00	@ 22	13,200.00
115	"	Connecticut Light & Power Co.	6,165.00	@ 25½	2,856.00
155	"	Connecticut Power Co. ...	6,049.20	@ 25	3,875.00
100	"	Consolidated Edison Co. of New York	2,262.49	@ 11⅞	1,187.50
100	"	Consolidated Edison Company of New York, $5 pfd.	8,778.36	@ 81⅞	8,187.50
11	"	Georgia Railway & Banking Co.	1,760.00	@115½	1,270.50
20	"	Guaranty Trust Company of New York	5,035.00	@193½	3,870.00
200	"	Hartford-Connecticut Trust Co.	13,765.49	@ 55	11,000.00
450	"	Hartford Electric Light Co.	18,939.46	@ 38	17,100.00
72	"	Hartford Fire Insurance Co.	2,730.00	@ 75½	5,436.00
250	"	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	6,625.00	@ 18½	4,625.00
670	"	National Fire Insurance Co.	26,333.67	@ 47	31,490.00
14	"	Northern Central Railway Co.	1,281.00	@ 89¼	1,249.50
500	"	Phoenix Insurance Co. ...	18,333.00	@ 71½	35,750.00
25	"	Phoenix State Bank and Trust Co.	5,000.00	@260	6,500.00
10	"	Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Rwy. Co., 7% pfd.	1,136.25	@164	1,640.00
40	"	Southern New England Telephone Co.	5,271.50	@ 97	3,880.00
60	"	Tampa Electric Co.	1,649.44	@ 18	1,080.00
195	"	Travelers Insurance Co. ..	72,926.50	@340	66,300.00

22	"	Union Pacific R.R. Co., pfd.	1,848.00	@ 76½	1,683.00
180	"	United Illuminating Co. ..	10,100.00	@ 31½	5,670.00
			$307,690.73		$282,965.75

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 281 Grandview Terrace, Hartford, Connecticut)	$6,700.00
Mary F. Welsh (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 147-49 Madison Street, Hartford, Connecticut)	2,910.00
Luigi and Anthony Forcucci (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28 Price Boulevard, West Hartford, Connecticut)	4,400.00
Bridget M. Moloney (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 28-30 Hamilton Street, Hartford, Connecticut)	6,650.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	958.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P5 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 81-83 Asylum Street, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of A. L. Foster Estate)	2,874.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P34 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 328 North Main Street, West Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Helen K. and Kenneth E. French)	1,923.00
Mortgage Participation Certificate No. P48 (secured by first mortgage on real estate located at 157-159 Campfield Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut, in the name of Vincenzo Panella, et al.)	936.00
	$27,351.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank	$3,805.13
Dime Savings Bank	617.93
Farmington Savings Bank	1,200.40
Farmington Savings Bank	114.29
Mechanics Savings Bank	7,535.53
Mechanics Savings Bank	1,015.86
Mechanics Savings Bank	2,782.83

Mechanics Savings Bank	209.75
Society for Savings	710.91
Society for Savings	18,140.66
State Savings Bank	3,222.27
State Savings Bank	2,691.66
State Savings Bank	168.66
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	4,350.20
Travelers Bank & Trust Co.	1,429.09
	$47,995.17

Cash balances:

Consolidated Fund—principal	$651.26
Lucius B. Barbour Fund—income	26.27
William F. J. Boardman Fund—income	6.29
Lucy A. Brainard Fund—income	22.13
Connecticut Colonial Wars Society Fund—income	62.13
General Fund—Income	1,114.02
Charles J. Hoadly Fund—income	55.25
George E. Hoadley Fund—principal	1,423.79
Newman Hungerford Fund—income	59.74
Horace E. Mather Fund—income	61.31
Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund—income	5.12
Permanent General Fund—income	56.81
Publication Fund—surplus income	10.77
Thomas Robbins Fund—income	15.95
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund—income	12.55
	$3,583.39

SCHEDULE "E"

Gains and Losses to Consolidated Fund

Accumulated net gains, as per previous account			$4,581.97
Sale $5,000 U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2½-1949/53			
Amt. realized from sale	$5,379.69		
Amount of inventory	5,031.08		
Gain		$348.61	
Sale $6,000 U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2½-1950/52			
Amt. realized from sale	$6,472.50		
Amount of inventory	6,436.88		
Gain		35.62	

Sale $15,000 U. S. A. Treasury Bonds, 2¾-1951/54			
Amt. realized from sale	$16,476.56		
Amount of inventory ..	14,910.94		
Gain		1,565.62	
Total Gains ...		$1,949.85	
Sale $5,000 Brooklyn Union Gas Co., 5-1945			
Amount of inventory ..	$5,466.68		
Amt. realized from sale	5,371.89		
Loss		94.79	
Net Total Gains			1,855.06
			$6,437.03

STATEMENT OF TRUST FUNDS

Ancient Vital Records Fund

This fund was instituted in 1907 and was raised by subscriptions of from $1 to $100. It is to be used in the publishing of the ancient town records of Connecticut, the sale of which it is expected will secure the continuance of the fund.

Principal

		1941		
Deposit, State Sav. Bk.	$168.66	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$881.17
			From income	10.93
			Sale of Books	206.00
				$1,098.10
			Less Book published .	929.44
	$168.66			$168.66

Income

To principal	$10.93	Interest	$10.93

Lucius B. Barbour Fund

Established in 1923 by Lucius B. Barbour, a member, who died July 29, 1934, by the gift of copies of Manwaring's "Early Connecticut Probate Records—Hartford District." Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$468.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$452.00
			Sale of Books	16.00
	$468.00			$468.00

Income

		1941		
Books purchased	$16.00	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$23.15
Balance on hand	26.27		Interest	19.12
	$42.27			$42.27

William F. J. Boardman Fund

This fund is derived from the sale of copies of the "Boardman Genealogy," "Wethersfield Inscriptions," "Boardman Ancestry" and "Greenleaf Ancestry," given to the Society in 1907 by Mr. William F. J. Boardman, a life member, who died November 23, 1912. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of genealogies and town histories, the preference to be given to such volumes as may pertain to families treated of in the "Boardman Genealogy," "Boardman Ancestry," and "Greenleaf Ancestry."

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$851.18	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$846.18
			Sale of Books	5.00
	$851.18			$851.18

Income

		1941		
Books purchased	$47.28	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$17.78
Balance on hand	6.29		Interest	35.79
	$53.57			$53.57

Lucy A. Brainard Book Fund

Established in 1892 by a gift from Miss Lucy A. Brainard, a life member, who died December 28, 1908, and was increased by later gifts from her to a total of $1,000, and which is being further increased through the sale of books presented for the purpose by her and by Morgan B. Brainard, Newton C. Brainard and The Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company. The income only is to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$2,186.47	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$2,186.47

Income

Books purchased	$128.13	1941 May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$57.79
Balance on hand	22.13		Interest	92.47
	$150.26			$150.26

Silas Chapman, Jr., Fund

Established November, 1926, by the receipt of a legacy of $63,370.65 from the estate of Silas Chapman, Jr. of Hartford, a former member, who died September 10, 1925. The legacy was without any restriction, and the income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$68,500.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$68,500.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$2,896.94	Interest	$2,896.94

Sophia F. Hall Coe Fund

Established in April, 1916, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,017.00 from the estate of Mrs. Sophia F. Hall Coe of Meriden, Connecticut, widow of Levi E. Coe, a former member. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$1,050.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$1,050.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$44.41	Interest	$44.41

Connecticut Society of Colonial Wars Fund

Established in 1925 by the gift from that Society of a one-half interest in the remaining unsold copies of the "Vital Records of Norwich, 1659-1848," which it had published in two volumes. The income only is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$171.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$148.50
			Sale of Books	22.50
	$171.00			$171.00

Income

Balance on hand	$62.13	1941 May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$55.85
			Interest	6.28
	$62.13			$62.13

Consolidated Fund

Principal

Bonds:	*Book Value*	1941		
$2,000 Hartford-Ætna Realty Corp. (Certificate of Deposit) 6-1959	$730.00	May 1,	Amount of Fund	$210,781.41
			Legacy, Ruel C. Tuttle .	4,925.00
			Sale of Books	144.00
2,000 N. Y., N. H. & Htfd. R. R. Co. 6-1948 .	720.00		Admission fees	36.00
			Transferred from income:	
2,000 Province of Ontario 4½-1951	2,125.67		Fitts Fund	246.24
30,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "G" 2½-1953 ...	30,000.00		Goodwin Fund ..	784.41
			Shepard Fund ..	56.36
7,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "G" 2½-1/1/1954	7,000.00		Tuttle Fund ..	75.00
			Welles Fund ..	7.50
7,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "G" 2½-4/1/1954	7,000.00		Plus Gain on Securities .	1,855.06
	$47,575.67			
Stocks:				
50 shs. Ætna Casualty & Surety Co. ...	$3,425.00			

100	"	Ætna Insurance Co. ..	4,932.50
140	"	Ætna Life Insurance Co.	2,520.00
62	"	American Tel. & Tel. Co.	7,775.77
25	"	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Rwy. Co., pfd. .	2,246.25
40	"	Bankers Trust Co.	2,425.00
10	"	Bank of New York	4,644.00
36	pts.	Chatham-Phoenix Corp. (Ctf. Beneficial Interest) ..	.00
20	shs.	Cleveland & Pittsburg R. R. Co. 7% Guaranteed	1,650.00
250	"	Commonwealth Edison Co. ..	7,680.28
33	"	Conn. Light & Power Co.	1,770.00
125	"	Conn. Power Co.	5,125.00
100	"	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y.	2,262.49
82	"	Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. pfd.	8,056.68
11	"	Georgia R. R. & Banking Co.	1,760.00
20	"	Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y. ..	5,035.00
150	"	Hartford Electric Light Co. .	9,237.00

50	" Hartford National Bank & Trust Co.	1,025.00
70	" National Fire Insurance Co.	4,375.00
14	" Northern Central Rwy. Co. .	1,281.00
15	" Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co. .	2,550.00
40	" Southern New England Tel. Co.	5,271.50
20	" Travelers Insurance Co.	8,614.00
22	" Union Pacific R. R. Co. pfd.	1,848.00
180	" United Illuminating Co.	10,100.00
		$105,609.47

Mortgage Loans:

Catherine E. Connor .	$6,700.00
Mary F. Welsh	2,910.00
Luigi & Anthony Forcucci	4,400.00
Bridget M. Moloney .	6,650.00
Mortgage Participation Certificates in the names of:	
Vincenzo Panella et al.	936.00
A. L. Foster Estate .	2,874.00
A. L. Foster Estate .	958.00
E. K. & H. K. French	1,923.00
	$27,351.00

Deposits:

Dime Savings Bank .	$3,805.13
Farmington Sav. Bk. .	1,200.40

Mechanics Savings Bk.	7,535.53		
Society for Savings ..	18,140.66		
State Savings Bank ..	2,691.66		
Travelers Bk. & Tr. Co.	4,350.20		
	$37,723.58		
Uninvested Cash	651.26		
	$218,910.98		$218,910.98

Income

Amortization Expense	$149.60	Dividends ..	$5,387.33
Distributed to various funds (income) ...	8,842.35	Interest	3,584.84
		Miscellaneous	19.78
	$8,991.95		$8,991.95

George Henry Fitts Fund (In Memory of Colonel Thomas Knowlton)

Established in 1925 by a legacy of $10,000 from the estate of George Henry Fitts of Willimantic, Connecticut, a former member, who died January 10, 1925, given in memory of his great-grandfather, Colonel Thomas Knowlton, and to be held as a fund, the income only to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$6,007.83	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$5,761.59
			From income	246.24
	$6,007.83			$6,007.83

Income

To principal account .	$246.24	Interest	$246.24

General Fund

The fund was established about 1849. Included in it are a gift of $1,000 received from the Pawtucket Bank in 1849; a gift of $1,000 from the City Bank of Hartford in 1852, and a legacy of $1,000 received in 1860 from the estate of David Watkinson, a former member, who died December 13, 1857.

Principal

Library	$350,000.00	1941		
Museum	100,000.00	May 1,	Amount of	
Furnishings	2,500.00		Fund	$465,272.11

Investments:		Net Gain on sale of Securities ...	98.37
$1,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "G" 2½-6/1/1953	$1,000.00		
25 shs. Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Rwy. Co. pfd.	2,490.62		
67 " Conn. Light & Power Co. .	3,588.75		
18 " Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y. pfd.	721.68		
10 " Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne, & Chicago Rwy. Co. pfd.	1,136.25		
State Savings Bank ..	3,222.27		
Society for Savings ..	710.91		
	$465,370.48		$465,370.48

Income

To General Expenses .	$608.12	Dividends ..	$418.25
		Interest	189.87
	$608.12		$608.12

James J. Goodwin Fund

Established by a gift of $20,000 made in October, 1915, by Mrs. James J. Goodwin in memory of her husband, a former member and vice-president, who died June 23, 1915. The income only is to be used for the general purposes of the Society.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$19,139.90	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$18,355.49
			From income	784.41
	$19,139.90			$19,139.90

Income

To principal account .	$784.41	Interest	$784.41

E. Stevens Henry Fund

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $500 from the estate of the Hon. Edward Stevens Henry of Vernon, Connecticut, a former member and vice-president, who died February 8, 1922. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$550.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$550.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$23.26		Interest	$23.26

Charles J. Hoadly Fund

Established in 1901 by a gift from Mr. George E. Hoadley, a life member, at his death, November 21, 1922, of copies of the "Records of the Colony of Connecticut," and a later gift of additional copies and of copies of the "Records of the State of Connecticut," in memory of his brother, Charles J. Hoadly, LL.D., sometime president of the Society. The proceeds from the sale of these books constitute the principal of the fund, the income only to be used for the purchase of books.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$2,572.21	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$2,544.21
			Sale of books	28.00
	$2,572.21			$2,572.21

Income

		1941		
Books purchased	$93.90	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$41.10
Balance of income ...	55.25		Interest	108.05
	$149.15			$149.15

George E. Hoadley Fund

This fund was established by the will of George Edward Hoadley, of West Hartford, Connecticut, who died November 21, 1922, for the purchase of a site and the erection of a fireproof building for the Society. It was received by distribution of his estate on December 19, 1923. The accruing income is to be added to the principal of the fund. In 1935 the Building Fund was merged with this fund.

Principal

Land:	$211,770.00	1941 May 1, Amount of Fund	$514,956.50
Bonds:		From income	11,539.91
$7,000 Great Northern Rwy. Co. Series "G" 4-1946	$7,246.10	Net gain on securities .	10,869.00
19,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "G" 2½-1953 ...	19,000.00		
14,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "F" 1/1/1954 ...	10,360.00		
45,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½-1952/54 ...	47,619.01		
25,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2½-1953/49 ...	25,050.52		
13,000 U. S. A. Treasury 2¾-1954	13,315.26		
7,000 U. S. A. Savings Bonds Series "F" April 1, 1954	5,180.00		
	$127,770.89		
Stocks:			
90 shs. Ætna Insurance Co. ..	$3,240.00		
600 " Ætna Life Insurance Co.	22,408.24		
50 " American Tel. & Tel. Co. .	5,963.71		
600 " Conn. General Life Insurance Co. ..	20,300.00		
15 " Conn. Light & Power Co.	806.25		
30 " Conn. Power Co.	924.20		

200 "	Hartford-Conn. Trust Co.	13,765.49
300 "	Hartford Electric Light Co. .	9,702.46
72 "	Hartford Fire Insurance Co. ..	2,730.00
200 "	Hartford National Bank & Trust Co. .	5,600.00
600 "	National Fire Insurance Co.	21,958.67
500 "	Phoenix Insurance Co.	18,333.00
10 "	Phoenix State Bank & Trust Co. .	2,450.00
60 "	Tampa Electric Co. ..	1,649.44
175 "	Travelers Insurance Co.	64,312.50
		$194,143.96
Deposits:		
Dime Savings Bank .		$617.93
Mechanics Savings Bk.		209.75
Travelers Bk. & Tr. Co.		1,429.09
		$2,256.77
Uninvested Cash		$1,423.79
		$537,365.41

	Income		
Fee	$612.92	Dividends ..	$10,279.92
Real Estate Expense .	348.56	Interest	2,543.70
Amortization Expense	321.18		
To principal	11,539.91		
Miscellaneous	1.05		
	$12,823.62		$12,823.62

James B. Hosmer Fund

James B. Hosmer, a member and a former president of the Society, who died Sept. 25, 1878, left an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 to the Society. The income from the fund has been designated to general expenses.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$5,000.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$211.45		Interest	$211.45

Newman Hungerford Fund

Established in March, 1928, by a legacy of $2,000 from the estate of Newman Hungerford of Harwinton, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 8, 1927. The income only is to be used for the care and increase of the collection of coins bequeathed to the Society by Mr. Hungerford.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$2,000.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$2,000.00

Income

		1941		
Coins purchased	$32.03	May 1,	Balance of Income	$7.19
Balance on hand	59.74		Interest	84.58
	$91.77			$91.77

William W. Knight Fund

Established May, 1934, by a bequest of $8,000 from Dr. William Ward Knight of Hartford, a former member, who died December 4, 1923. The will provides that this legacy be used for the "general uses and purposes" of the Society.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$8,000.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$8,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$338.33		Interest	$338.33

Horace E. Mather Fund

Received December, 1933, as a bequest under the will of Lucy O. Mather of Hartford, the sum of $5,000 which was given to be held as a fund in memory of her father, Horace E. Mather, a former member, who died March 13, 1909, the income to be used for the purchase of genealogies of families settled in America before the year 1700, including English works bearing on such families, printed parish registers of England and church and town records of New England.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$5,000.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$5,000.00

Income

		1941		
Books purchased	$206.22	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$56.08
Balance on hand	61.31		Interest	211.45
	$267.53			$267.53

Jonathan Flynt Morris Fund

Established in 1911 through the gift by the daughters of Mr. Jonathan Flynt Morris, a former member and for many years treasurer, who died January 30, 1899, of copies of the "Morris Register", compiled by him. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income only of which is available for the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$93.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$93.00

Income

		1941		
Balance on hand	$5.12	May 1,	Balance of income	$1.13
			Interest	3.99
	$5.12			$5.12

Edward B. Peck Fund

Established May, 1929, by an unrestricted legacy of $25,000 from the estate of Edward B. Peck of Hartford, a former member, who died October 29, 1928. The income has been designated for general purposes.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$32,500.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$32,500.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$1,374.46		Interest	$1,374.46

Permanent General Fund

This fund was established by a gift to the Society in 1906 to which additions have since been made. The income only is available for whatever purpose the Society sees fit.

Principal

		1941		
Deposit, Mechanics		May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$1,014.86
Savings Bank	$1,015.86		Gift, Hester	
			Meigs	1.00
	$1,015.86			$1,015.86

Income

		1941		
Balance on hand	$56.81	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$31.45
			Interest	25.36
	$56.81			$56.81

Publication Fund

This fund was established by a legacy of $1,000 received in 1855 from the estate of Thomas Day, a former member and president, who died March 1, 1855. To this have been added a legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Daniel Goodwin in 1880; receipts from the sale of books presented by several members of the Society; the fees received for life memberships and admission fees, and a number of small special contributions.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$9,379.45	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$9,285.95
			Adm. fees ..	30.00
			Sale of Books	63.50
	$9,379.45			$9,379.45

Income

To General Fund (Bulletin Account).	$387.59	Sale of Books	$76.65
To Surplus Income Account	82.59	Interest	393.53
	$470.18		$470.18

Publication Fund—Surplus Income

Principal

		1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$3,300.67
$2,000 Hartford Ætna Realty Corp. 6% 1959	$730.00		From income	129.57
Deposit, Mechanics Savings Bank	2,782.83		From Publ. Fund — excess receipts	82.59
	$3,512.83			$3,512.83

Income

		1941 May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$15.84
To Surplus Income Principal Account .	$129.57		Interest	124.50
Balance on hand	10.77			
	$140.34			$140.34

William H. Putnam Fund

Established in October, 1931, through the gift by Mr. William H. Putnam of Hartford, of copies of "The Two Putnams" to be sold for the benefit of the Society. The income only is to be used for general expenses.

Principal

		1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$207.07
Cons. Investments ...	$207.07			

Income

To General Expenses .	$8.76	Interest	$8.76

Thomas Robbins Fund

This "perpetual fund, the avails of which (are) to be applied to the preservation, increase and improvement of the library," inventoried at $4,643.52, was created in 1856 by a residuary clause in the will of Rev.

Thomas Robbins, a former member, librarian and corresponding secretary, who died September 13, 1856.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$6,553.53	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$6,553.53

Income

Books purchased	$298.08	1941 May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$36.88
Balance on hand	15.95		Interest	277.15
	$314.03			$314.03

Thomas Robbins Fund—Surplus Income

Deposit, Farmington Savings Bank	$114.29	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$184.34
			Interest	4.57
				$188.91
			Less books purchased .	74.62
	$114.29			$114.29

Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Fund

Established in 1922 by an unrestricted legacy of $3,000 from the estate of Dr. Gurdon W. Russell of Hartford, a former life member, who died February 3, 1909, and by the further receipt later in the same year of a legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mrs. Mary I. B. Russell, widow of Dr. Russell. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$8,000.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$8,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$338.33	Interest	$338.33

Dr. Gurdon W. Russell Book Fund

Established in 1910 by the gift of copies of "Decendants of John Russell" from Mrs. Gurdon W. Russell. Proceeds from the sale of these books form the principal of the fund, the income of which only is available for the purchase of historical and genealogical works for the library.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$231.67	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$227.67
			Sale of Books	4.00
	$231.67			$231.67

Income

		1941		
Balance on hand	$12.55	May 1,	Bal. of inc. .	$2.92
			Interest	9.63
	$12.55			$12.55

James Shepard Fund

Established in June, 1929, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,727.50 from the estate of James Shepard of New Britain, Connecticut, a former member, who died February 15, 1926. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$1,380.24	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$1,317.38
			From income	56.36
			Sale of Books	6.50
	$1,380.24			$1,380.24

Income

To principal account .	$56.36	Interest	$56.36

Edwin Simons Fund

Established December, 1915, by an unrestricted legacy of $5,286.05 from the estate of Edwin Simons of Hartford. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$5,400.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$5,400.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$228.37	Interest	$228.37

Jane T. Smith Fund

Established August, 1930, by an unrestricted legacy of $1,000 from the estate of Mrs. Jane T. Smith of Hartford, a former life member, who died August 22, 1929. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$1,000.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$1,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$42.29	Interest	$42.29

Ellen Battell Stoeckel Fund

Established in 1939 by an unrestricted legacy of $10,000 from the estate of Mrs. Ellen Battell Stoeckel of Norfolk, Connecticut, a former member, who died May 5, 1939. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$10,000.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$10,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$422.91	Interest	$422.91

Mary K. Talcott Fund

Established in 1920 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Mary K. Talcott of Hartford, a former member, who died November 17, 1917. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

Cons. Investments ...	$6,100.00	1941 May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$6,100.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$257.98	Interest	$257.98

Tuttle Fund

Established in 1940 by an unrestricted legacy of $5,000 from the estate of Miss Jane Tuttle of Hartford, Connecticut, a former life member, who died August 20, 1939. To this fund was added, in 1941, an unrestricted legacy of $4,925 from the estate of Ruel C. Tuttle of Windsor, Connecticut. The income has been designated for general expenses.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$10,000.00	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$5,000.00
			Legacy, Ruel C. Tuttle Trust	4,925.00
			From income	75.00
	$10,000.00			$10,000.00

Income

To General Expenses .	$245.64	Interest	$320.64
To principal account .	75.00		
			$320.64
	$320.64		

Edwin Stanley Welles Fund

Established in 1924 through the gift by Mr. Welles of copies of his "Some Notes on Wampum" and the later gift of "Revolutionary War Letters of Capt. Roger Welles" and "Beginnings of Fruit Culture in Connecticut," together with a gift from George Dudley Seymour, Esquire, of the remaining copies of "Births, Marriages and Deaths Returned from Hartford, Windsor and Fairfield, 1631-1691," edited by Mr. Welles. Proceeds from the sale of these publications, together with interest on the same, are to be allowed to accumulate until they amount to four hundred dollars ($400), which is established as the principal of the fund. The income of the Fund, when available, is to be expended in the purchase of books for the library.

Principal

		1941		
Cons. Investments ...	$132.40	May 1,	Amt. of Fund	$120.40
			Sale of Books	4.50
			From income	7.50
	$132.40			$132.40

Income

To principal account .	$7.50	Interest	$7.50

Hartford, Connecticut
May 1, 1942

HEYWOOD H. WHAPLES,
Treasurer.

The foregoing account and securities listed therein have been examined by me and found correct.

CHARLES S. BISSELL,
Auditor.

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